

HADLEY SPURS  
LEGISLATORS TO  
RAISE REVENUE

State Needs \$2,000,000 More  
Money Than Is in Sight,  
He Says.

## URGES HIS MEASURES

New Laws Designed to Meet  
Deficit Are Either Ignored  
or Defeated.

## WOULD TAX CLUBS

Believes Places Where Liquor  
Is Sold Should Bear Por-  
tion of Burden.

From a Staff Correspondent of the  
Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, April 22.—Gov. Hadley applied the "big stick" to the General Assembly today in a special message calling attention to the fact that bills necessary to meet a \$2,000,000 deficit in the State revenue have been either ignored or defeated.

"According to the estimates prepared," says the Governor, "the revenue needed for the carrying on of the government for the present biennial period, together with the deficiency appropriations, amount to \$11,000,000, while the available revenues have been estimated at about \$9,000,000."

## Recommends His Recommendations.

"To meet this deficiency, I have made, after careful study and consultation with those who have given special study and investigation to the question of taxation, the following suggestions as to the additional sources from which more revenue can properly and fairly be secured:

"First—A tax upon the franchise of corporate existence.

"Second—A tax upon direct inheritance.

"Third—A license upon wholesale liquor dealers, clubs engaged in the sale of intoxicating liquors and retail liquor dealers other than dramshop keepers, who are now taxed.

"Fourth—The abolishment of our present farcical system for the inspection of coal and gasoline, from which no revenue is derived by the State, and the enactment of a law providing for the proper inspection of coal and gasoline, from which it is estimated that between \$150,000 and \$200,000 will be raised by the State each year."

## Would Tax Franchises.

"All of these recommendations," continues the Governor, "ought to be subject to taxation, franchises or privileges which are enjoyed by and which are of value to the individual and which now escape taxation. The franchise of corporate existence is a franchise or privilege conferred by the State which is of value to the individuals who secure it and which is not taxed."

"Such franchise values are taxed, however, in many states of the Union, and in some of them a tax of \$1 on each \$100 of capitalization is imposed—four times the tax proposed by the bill which I have recommended to you. It is, in my opinion, a manifest discrimination in favor of the corporation and against the individual for the State to longer permit the franchise of corporate existence to remain untaxed."

"To receive an inheritance is a privilege conferred upon the individual by the State for which the individual pays nothing to support the Government which secures to him this privilege. Thirty-four states of the Union have imposed an inheritance tax and it exists as an important source of revenue in most of the civilized nations of the world."

"No good reason can, in my opinion, be offered as to why a reasonable tax upon inheritances, above a reasonable exemption, should not be paid by those who enjoy this privilege."

## Wholesale Liquor Tax.

"The right to sell liquor at wholesale, through a club organization, or at retail, is another privilege that is conferred by law and not subject to taxation."

"In addition to the importance of the revenue to be secured from this source, there is the necessity of the license to engage in such traffic for the purpose of proper regulation."

"The proper inspection of coal and gasoline is a duty which the State should perform, and if performed in the proper way can also be a source of revenue. A bill for the accomplishment of this duty has passed the Senate, and I trust will soon receive the favorable consideration of the House."

## Would Change Assessment.

"In addition to these measures, I have urged such changes in the present law for the assessment and return of real and personal property as will result in a more complete and accurate assessment thereof. I do not wish to see a single cent added to the burdens of taxation of those who own the real and personal property in this State, which now bears its just burden of taxation, but I do wish to see that personal property which is not now subject to taxation made subject to taxation, and I do wish to see real and personal property throughout the State assessed and taxed at the same proportion of its actual value."

"A bill for the accomplishment of this

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WOMAN WHO IS SOUGHT AS AN  
ACCESSORY TO INDIAN'S MURDER

HATTIE YARBROUGH.

WOMAN CLAIMED  
INDIAN LAWYER  
AS HER HUSBAND

Hattie Yarbrough Last Seen in  
Springfield, Mo., Where  
Trail Was Lost.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., April 22.—In their search for Hattie Yarbrough, charged with complicity in the assassination of John Bull, a well-known Indian lawyer of Claremore, Ok., Oklahoma officers say they have learned that Hattie Yarbrough lived in Joplin until February of this year and was known as man and wife.

After Bull's death, they say, letters from Hattie Yarbrough to him were found threatening his life if he married any other woman.

Bull was shot to death in his office by someone who stood in the dark outside, April 15, the day before his betrothal to Miss Pearl Eddleman of Muskogee was to be announced. Claremore officers say Hattie Yarbrough was in Claremore the night of the shooting. They were informed that she had come to Springfield, where she formerly lived, but have been unable to find her there. They have searched surrounding towns in vain.

Following the shooting Hattie Yarbrough is alleged to have gone to Tulsa, where she rechecked her baggage for St. Louis and made an engagement with a companion for Saturday. Sheriff Stephens of Claremore, hearing of the appointment, telegraphed police headquarters at St. Louis. It is stated, to arrest her. The St. Louis police were unable to find the woman, and officers have since been tracing rumors.

Policeman William O'Brien said today he saw Hattie Yarbrough Tuesday afternoon on Commercial street. When last seen in Springfield, on Feb. 9, she said she had been living at Joplin and was the wife of John Bull. She said they had packed their household goods at Joplin and that she was on her way to San Antonio, Tex., for her health, and she was to be met at San Antonio by Bull. Bull left Joplin about the time she was in Springfield.

MISSIONARIES LISTEN FOR 23  
GUNS TO SAY SULTAN IS DEAD

Number Which Signifies Departure  
Will Bring Joy to Constantinople.

NEW YORK, April 22.—"Not a Christian in Turkey trusts the Sultan, and very few of his own people do either. His death would be welcomed by all missionaries."

This statement is made by Miss Mary L. Braffan of Andover, Mass., a teacher in the Sivas Normal School at Sivas, Turkey, who is in New York on a vacation.

"You know," she continued, "when the Sultan dies 23 guns will be fired. When a cannon is fired in Constantinople the people all stop work and begin to count. Sometimes when 15 or 20 shots are fired, the tension is very great, for with just so many there'll be no Sultan."

"Yes, I understand '23' is a joking number in New York; but it is true, nevertheless, and we want the '23' to come as soon as possible in Turkey."

SON BETRAYS A  
PASTOR WHO IS  
SHORT \$100,000

After Consulting Mother He  
Takes Detectives to Train  
to Meet Father.

TRENTON, N. J., April 22.—Betrayed by his son, John Sykes, one of the most prominent lawyers of New Jersey and a Methodist preacher, is in the County Jail here facing a possible life sentence in the New Jersey State Prison, charged with embezzling and forgery.

It was announced that the shortage of the prisoner would amount to \$100,000, the principal sufferers being widows and orphans.

Sykes was arrested at a local railroad station yesterday as he alighted from a train. He had written to his son Alvin, who is a law student at the University of Pennsylvania, requesting him to meet the train. Sykes wanted to talk to his boy and discuss the advisability of surrendering himself to the police. He had not, however, determined upon this action.

## Son Gives Father Up.

The son, determined upon action, wanted his father to meet the charges against him, but hesitated about giving the police information which would lead to his father's arrest. The boy consulted his mother and prominent men, and finally decided to surrender his father.

Consequently, when the lawyer stepped from the train and fondly embraced his waiting son, two detectives stepped from the shadows and placed him under arrest.

The son told his father of his action. The parent made no comment, and peacefully accompanied the detectives to the jail. The son was heartbroken when he saw the father placed behind the bars and realized he was responsible for his incarceration.

## Charged With Forgery.

Besides being charged with the embezzlement of trust funds, specific charges are registered against Sykes for forging the names of both his sister and his brother to notes.

Sykes admitted his guilt and asserted his downfall began 10 years ago, when he was forced to defend himself against charges of embezzling money of a client. He claims this got him in debt and since he has never been able to regain his former position. He will not say, however, what became of about \$20,000, which he is known to have collected within the past month.

Sykes has been hiding in Philadelphia since he suddenly left this city a week ago. He was penniless when searched in the jail.

## CORPORATION TAX BILL FAILS

Hadley Measure Is Defeated in  
House of Representatives.

JEFFERSON CITY, April 22.—The House today defeated a measure taxing corporations 25 cents for each \$100 of capitalization. A companion bill failed in the Senate last week. The proposed tax was one of the revenue-producing measures urged by Gov. Hadley.

JUNGLE BEASTS SEE  
ROOSEVELT RIDE BY  
ON A COWCATCHER

Parteestees and Duikers and  
Ostriches in Great Number  
Were There.

## ONE—RHINOCEROS—ONE

Hunter Also Gazes Upon  
About 20 Giraffes and Some  
Guinea Fowl.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)  
MACHAKOS ROAD, British East Africa, April 22.—The Roosevelt special arrived at Machakos Road, 276 miles from Mombasa, at midday. The weather was fine and sunny and all the members of the party are enjoying themselves greatly.

Mr. Roosevelt, Mr. Selous, Maj. Fearns and Edmund Heller, in their de on the cowcatcher of the locomotive from Makindu, had a magnificent view of the snow-capped Kilimanjaro. Plenty of game was seen from the train, including about twenty giraffes, 14th their young, close to the line; ibexes, parteestees, waterbuck, kudu, duikers, guinea fowl, ostriches, great number and one rhinoceros. The other members of the party rode on the roof of one of the carriages.

Mr. Roosevelt is taking his meals on the train with Gov. Jackson and the members of the Governor's party. Kermit Roosevelt and the other Americans are taking their meals with Capt. Campbell, aid-de-camp of the Governor.

## (BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MAKINDU, British East Africa, April 22.—The special train that left Mombasa at 2:30 yesterday afternoon bearing Theodore Roosevelt and the members of his party to the ranch of Sir Alfred Pease on the Athi River, pulled in here at 6:30 this morning. All the members of the party are well and had a good night. They are enjoying the trip immensely.

Mr. Roosevelt, F. J. Jackson, setting Governor of the Protectorate; F. C. Selous and Maj. Mearns rode on a broad seat attached to the cow-catcher of the locomotive from Mombasa, as far as MacKinnon Road, a distance of about fifty miles.

The visitors were delighted with the experience, and Mr. Roosevelt was deeply impressed with the marvelous scenery that unfolded itself to his view.

Vol was reached at 11 o'clock last night, after which the party turned in.

Other passengers on the train. The special train included Mr. Sandford, local superintendent of the railroad line; Mr. Cruikshank, the traffic manager; W. J. Monson, secretary of the administration; J. H. Wilson, a member of the legislative council, and R. P. Cunningham, the manager of the Roosevelt expedition.

The party expects to arrive at Kapiti Plains station at midday and this afternoon will go up to the Pease Ranch. It will have several days in camp before going on to Nairobi. At the conclusion of the visit with Sir Alfred Pease Mr. Roosevelt probably will go to the Ju Ja Ranch and be the guest of George MacMillan. After this he will shoot buffalo at Hugh Hensley Kamit ranch, 15 miles from Nairobi, on the Portland road.

Before leaving Mombasa, Mr. Roosevelt received an address of welcome from the American missionaries. He will visit at least three mission stations while in the protectorate.

PARISIAN FINDS ROOSEVELT  
HAS TAXIMETER ON HIS NAME

Special Cable From Paris Bureau of  
the Post-Dispatch.

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PARIS, April 23.—M. Jean de Bonnefon, who, as called to the Post-Dispatch, is the first European addition to Mr. Roosevelt's Annapolis Club, has replied to the ex-President.

M. de Bonnefon, special correspondent of a widely known Parisian morning paper, the Petit Journal, sent from Naples a week ago a report of a conversation he had with Mr. Roosevelt on board the Hamburg in Naples harbor. This interview was denied in strong terms by the ex-President, who said he not only never received a correspondent of the Journal, but was unaware that such a paper existed until the Matin, a rival newspaper, telegraphed to Mr. Roosevelt regarding the interview and got back his telegraphed denial.

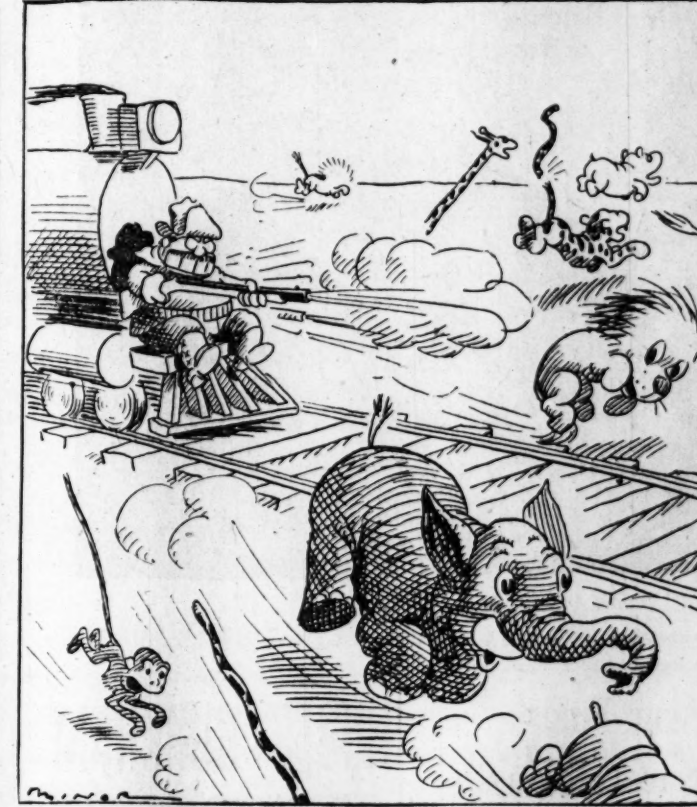
The Journal today publishes the photograph of M. de Bonnefon on its first page and an article by him, giving details of the interview and circumstances under which it took place. According to this account the correspondent was not presented to Mr. Roosevelt as a correspondent, but merely as M. de Bonnefon.

"As for the rest," adds the writer, "I spoke only one phrase of admiration for Mr. Roosevelt, and after that he talked without stopping as one who was well aware that he was prominently in the world's eye."

"I considered him very much he said which I considered advisable and proper not to repeat, but the other part that I considered might interest the readers of the Journal, I telegraphed to Paris. I have interviewed too many men in my life to put a false pearl in the collar of any person I have talked to, however great he may be."

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MRS. BOLLAND  
SUED BY TAILOR  
SHE "JOLLIED"

Promise to Order New Suit  
Not Redeemed After Old  
One Is Altered.

Mrs. John F. Bolland of 4933 McPherson avenue testified in Justice O'Halloran's court Friday that she did her utmost to "jolly" H. Cramer, her tailor, into making certain repairs on a suit he had made for her. The "jolling" process consisted, she said, in telling Cramer she was so well pleased with his work that she intended to order another suit from him soon.

Cramer made the repairs, but the order for another dress did not follow and Cramer is now suing for \$10 for the repair work.

The garments, made by Cramer a year ago, cost Mrs. Bolland \$75. She told Cramer, she testified, that the suit fitted beautifully. Last October, he testified, she asked him to make the alterations, made desirable by changes in the styles.

"For one thing," Cramer told the Court, "the long corsets had gone out of style and short ones had come into style since the suit was made. Then, too, the styles had changed from loose to tight sleeves."

"Mrs. Bolland asked me to make alterations conform to these changes in the fashions. I told her it would amount to making over a last year's dress into one for this year."

"That's all right," she said. "I'm going to get a new suit this year, too, and I'm going to have you make it."

Mrs. Bolland was accompanied to court by her husband, a co-defendant in the case. She wore a tightly fitting black gown and a hat of the latest shape.

"I thought he ought to make the repairs," she testified. "I was doing all I could to jolly him into making the repairs, and that was how I came to speak of getting another suit from him."

Justice O'Halloran reserved his decision until Saturday.

FORMER SENATOR STEWART  
OF NEVADA DIES AT CAPITAL

Succumbs in Washington Hospital  
After Operation Performed  
Last Month.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Former United States Senator William A. Stewart of Nevada died today following an operation.

The body will be taken to Nevada Sunday.

Mr. Stewart had been at the hospital since March 30. On March 31 he underwent an operation, the nature of which the physicians have not made public. About a week ago his condition became worse and he sank steadily until this morning, when at 7:30 o'clock he died.

Mr. Stewart was 52 years old and had been a familiar figure in this city during the greater part of the last half century. For 25 years he represented Nevada in the Senate, a lapse between 1875 and 1887 intervening to prevent a continuous service record from 1855 to 1905.

The legitimate F&B circulation of the Post-Dispatch in St. Louis and its suburbs is greater than that of ALL other St. Louis Daily Newspapers.

WOMAN AND SON  
FOUND GUILTY OF  
SLAYING FARMER

Mrs. Margaret Lucas and Jesse  
Lucas Sentenced to Prison  
for Life.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MOUNT CARMEL, Ill., April 22.—Mrs. Margaret Lucas and her son, Jesse, were today found guilty of the murder of Clyde Showalter, a young farmer, and their punishment was fixed at life imprisonment in the penitentiary by a jury in the Circuit Court here.

Attorneys for Mrs. Lucas and her son at once filed motions for a new trial. Mrs. Showalter, widow of the murdered man, was in court to hear the verdict and wept when it was announced.

Showalter disappeared Oct. 15, 1905, after spending the day in Mount Carmel, and his body was found six months later, buried in the sands of a creek across the Wabash River from Mount Carmel.

Bent to Death With Club.

Several months later Mrs. Lucas and her son were arrested after the neighborhood of a plot of the streets and houses near the Lucas home, and testified that the eye witnesses who told how they saw Jesse Lucas kill Showalter as he ran from the Lucas home could not have seen what they described from the windows where they said they sat.

All the testimony was completed last night. Mrs. Lucas and her son denied they had ever seen Showalter or knew anything of his death. They denied he was in their house the day of his death.

Oscar B. Williamson, a civil engineer, showed a plat of the streets and houses near the Lucas home, and testified that the eye witnesses who told how they saw Jesse Lucas kill Showalter as he ran from the Lucas home could not have seen what they described from the windows where they said they sat.

SPRING WEATHER IS COMING  
AND EVEN MONEY IS GOING  
CRAZY; CAN YOU BEAT THAT?

THE TEMPERATURES.

Midnight ..... 45 12 (noon) ..... 49  
3 a. m. .... 45 3 p. m. .... 51  
6 a. m. .... 40 6 p. m. .... 52  
9 a. m. .... 45

"Well, I see a big bunch of money has gone crazy," said the pit-trader.

"Whose was it?" asked the plunger.

"No, H. Clay Pierce's."

"How do you know it's crazy?"

"Well, money talks, you know."

"Do you mean that \$1,000,000 fine the oil magnate had to pay?"

"Yes. It is going to the Texas Asylum for the Insane."

The official forecast: Fair weather and rising temperature tonight and Saturday; variable winds, becoming southerly; the minimum temperature tonight, 44 degrees.

The river is at 23.1, a rise of .4.

SULTAN GOES TO  
MOSQUE, WEARING  
A HIDDEN ARMOR

Turks Greet Ruler as a Saint  
When He Appears at  
Palace Gateway.

## TROOPS LINE HIS PATH

No Ambassadors Present at  
Religious Ceremony, as  
Is Customary.

## MASSACRES ARE RAGING

Armenians Near Antioch Slain  
and Thousands of Sur-  
vivors Destitute.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 22.—The Sultan appeared upon the streets of Constantinople today and was greeted by the people with cries of adoration. With a mask-like countenance and his head sunk between his stooped shoulders, he acknowledged the salutations of the throng by curt nods.

His Majesty's customary uniform, that of a Field Marshal, was covered today by an old gray overcoat that he has not worn for years. This garment is commonly believed to have a lining of fine steel mail, and His Majesty certainly looked thicker through the body today than he does when he is receiving in the palace.

The occasion of His Majesty's appearance was his regular Friday visit to the White Mosque outside the walls of Yildiz Kiosk, ceremony known as the Selamluk. It was the first time the Sultan had been seen in public since the revolutionary outbreak of April 13.

Immense Throng Gathers.

On the word that the Selamluk would occur today the people in great numbers made their way in carriages and on foot to greet the Sultan at the Yildiz Kiosk. From the gate of the palace inclosure to the mosque the broad driveway was lined on either side by the picked regiments of the army, representing every branch in the service. All were in their best uniforms, with tunics and trousers, canvas leggings, trappings of red, yellow and green, with red, fess or red and green turbans on their heads.

Every point of vantage was occupied by the soldiers and the mosque was completely surrounded by them; regiments of cavalry filled a nearby open field. The avenue leading from the mosque to the palace was freshly sprinkled with white sand that the Sultan might have an undisturbed path to his palace of worship lined four and six feet deep by the troops of the empire. Back of the soldiers the people gathered in a dense throng.

At noon the gates were thrown open and the Sultan appeared in his customary victoria. He drove the short distance to the mosque and at once entered to say his prayers. After the completion of his devotions he returned by the same way he came and disappeared through the broad portal into the guarded precincts of his palace.

Receives an Ovation.

His Majesty's progress was marked by an ovation. The people as he drove by saluted him as their master and a saint. The Sultan nodded to right and left as his victoria was driven at a slow pace through the lines of soldiers, as they carried his right hand at a salute.

As the Sultan drove by the terrace of white stone that is used by distinguished visitors to witness his passage to and from the mosque, he looked carefully to see if any of the ambassadors were present. None was there, however, as they had by common consent agreed to remain away. The terrace was occupied by a large gathering of foreign visitors and junior members of the various diplomatic missions.

Many Armenians Slain.

BEIRUT, April 22.—The Armenian population of Antioch and vicinity has been practically wiped out in the massacres of the last few days by fanatical Moslems.

There are thousands of destitute Armenian widows and orphans still in the district, unable to get away. There is no security anywhere in the vicinity of Antioch.

Massacres Raging Near Tarsus.

TARSUS, Asiatic Turkey, April 22.—The rioting that originated at Adana broke out here April 16. A few Armenians were killed, the whole Armenian quarter was burned and the churches were sacked. More than 4000 refugees are still gathered in the yard of the American College. Their condition is pitiable. The missionaries at Tarsus are safe, but they are still apprehensive for the refugees.

Massacres are raging today in the neighboring Armenian villages and instant relief is needed.

Deputies Would Depose Sultan.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 22.—It is reported here today that at the secret session of the National Assembly held at San Stefano yesterday, 150 deputies voted in favor of the deposition of the Sultan.

A telegram received here today for Maras sets forth conclusively that

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## BALLOON RACES FOR CENTENNIAL TO COST \$12,000

Association Expects to Raise  
\$100,000 for Next Fall's  
Festivities.

### CHARTER BARS CITY

Municipal Assembly Can't  
Make Appropriation to Cele-  
brate Birthday.

Actively now developed in the meet-  
ing of the Executive Committee of the  
Centennial Association at the Mayor's  
office. The lack of harmony was such  
at times as to threaten the centennial  
festivities proposed for next October.

Some of the members of the Execu-  
tive Committee, in session Thursday af-  
ternoon, thought Mayo Feiler, secretary  
of the Civic League, was trying to run  
the meeting, especially when he stated  
that it would be unfortunate to place  
the Get-Together banquet at the Col-  
iseum on the closing night of the cele-  
bration in the hands of the Missouri  
Manufacturers' Association.

Mr. Feiler wanted the Business Men's  
League also to participate in the giv-  
ing of the banquet, but the representa-  
tives of the league stated that it had  
undertaken all the work it could do  
in connection with the festivities.

Replies Are Heated.

Mr. Feiler's remarks about it being  
unfortunate for the banquet to be left  
to the Manufacturers' Association  
brought heated retorts from C. F. Wen-  
maker, president of the Million Club;  
George D. Markham, chairman of the  
Executive Committee; Owen Miller and  
Capt. Frank Galenke.

The committee decided to give the  
banquet under the management of the  
Manufacturers' Association.

It also voted an appropriation of \$12-  
000 to L. D. Dozier for the balloon races.

The committee estimated that the cele-  
bration will cost at least \$100,000 and  
learned with some dismay that the city  
charter prohibits the Municipal Assem-  
bly from making any appropriation for  
the benefit of private enterprises. The  
money will have to be raised by sub-  
scription, and the members of the Exe-  
cutive Committee stated that absolute  
harmony will be necessary if such a  
large sum of money is to be raised.

J. A. J. Schmitt is president and E. J.  
Troy secretary of the Manufacturers' Association.

## Hadley Resents Failure to Pass Revenue Bills

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purpose has been recommended by the  
State Board of Equalization and Legisla-  
tion along the lines of the bill recom-  
mended in pending in both branches of  
this General Assembly.

"It has also been proposed to provide  
by law for a tax commissioner charged  
with the duty of securing a complete  
return or assessment of property for  
taxation and the equal assessment of  
real and personal property throughout  
the State. The experience of other  
states and my own judgment convince  
me that such an officer could perform  
useful public service in this State, and  
with the assistance of such a law as has  
been proposed by the State Board of  
Equalization, I believe that the assess-  
ment of real and personal property in  
this State could be placed upon a most  
satisfactory basis."

Immediately before the message was  
received the House killed the adminis-  
tration measure to impose a tax on the  
capital stock of corporations.

The Republican leaders are now try-  
ing to have this action reconsidered. In  
the Senate a similar bill was defeated a  
week ago, two Republican senators vot-  
ing against it.

From the Christian Advocate.

Diogenes, hunter in hand, entered the  
village drug store. Say, have you anything  
that will cure a cold?" he asked.

"No, Mr. I have not, answered the pill  
counter."

"Give me your hand," exclaimed Diogenes,  
dropping his lantern. "I have at last found  
an honest man."

## Disease Germs

Cannot harm healthy human bod-  
ies. We cannot have healthy bodies  
unless we have pure blood—the  
kind of blood that Hood's Sarsa-  
parilla makes.

This great medicine has an un-  
equalled, unapproached record for  
purifying and enriching the blood.

It cures scrofula, eczema, eruptions,  
catarrh, rheumatism, anemia,  
nervousness, that tired feeling, dys-  
pepsia, loss of appetite, general de-  
bility, builds up the whole system.

Get it today in the usual liquid form or in  
the celebrated tablet form called Sarsaparilla.

## WESTON, Ocean-to-Ocean Walker,

Said recently: "When you feel down and  
out, feel there is no use living; just take  
your bath thoughts with you and walk them  
out. Before you have walked a mile things  
will look better. Just try it." Have you  
noticed the increase in walking of late in  
every community? Many attribute it to the  
comfort which Allen's Foot-Ease, the anti-  
septic powder to be shaken into the shoes,  
gives to the millions now using it. As Wes-  
ton has said, "It has real merit." It cures  
while you walk. 30,000 testimonials. Order  
25c package today of any Druggist and be  
able to forget you have feet. A trial pack-  
et Allen's Foot-Ease sent FREE. Ad-  
dress: Allen S. Gilmard, LeRoy, N. Y.

## MAN WHOM MAYOR KREISMANN HAS SELECTED AS SECRETARY



ROBERT BURKHAM. —Photo by Strauss.

## Parisian Finds Roosevelt Has a Taximeter Name

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tion of an interview," the Paris Jour-  
nal says:

"For the second time Mr. Roosevelt  
has repudiated the conversation he had  
at Naples with M. Jean de Bonfome. This  
is our correspondent's reply:

"Mr. Roosevelt—a self-made Judas—  
continues to deny without having read  
his interview. He does not know French  
newspapers. He does not know me. Perhaps  
his extreme myopia rises in his  
verbiage; no one would have given  
Mr. Roosevelt so complete a eulogium  
as that of which I was the faithful  
photograph. Mr. Roosevelt's French  
vocabulary is exhausted and it is in  
English that he now is telegraphing his  
reply to a conference who amiably acts  
as postman. The denials of Mr. Roosevelt  
are not direct. They are turned over to  
another paper, through which they are  
transmitted to us."

"Mr. Roosevelt is truly a very clever  
man; he not only keeps alive his ad-  
vertisement, but has it inserted in two  
papers at the same time."

"I intend to make an appeal to the  
good faith of the ex-President, to ask  
what he read, what he had said to me,  
and then decide whether I should be  
discreet. But am assured that by  
contract Mr. Roosevelt has given a  
single paper the monopoly of his inter-  
views, and that he is paid for every ut-  
terance. Mr. Roosevelt sells his literary  
articles, sells his travels, sells the shots  
of his gun. He puts a 'taximeter' on  
the name that he has made illustrious.  
I repeat, I surprise the naive vanity of  
my interlocutor."

Quotes Slur on Italy.

"He has every reason in the world for  
not believing me, a journalist. And I  
am perhaps the only man who has got  
something from him for nothing. He  
is wrong to be angry. Only a mediocre  
player cannot console himself for hav-  
ing lost one little game after having  
gained so much."

"In case the ex-President has really  
lost his memory and cannot recognize  
the commonplace he uttered at such  
length, I will venture to recall a little  
to him."

"Does he remember having said to a  
very large man who was trying to ob-  
tain a word of praise for his admirable  
Italy: 'Italy, through its emigration, is  
poisoning America. If I have helped to  
diminish this imprudent expansion, I  
have rendered service to my country. We  
have already enough nationalities in  
America.'"

"And little later did Mr. Roosevelt  
say: 'I know that I shall find the King  
of Italy at Messina. But he ought to  
have sent a prince of his family to me  
instead of asking me to go to the  
Prince. While traveling I am, of course,  
a private individual. But I am still  
American.'"

"In conclusion did not Mr. Roosevelt  
completely dazzle me show me the  
big portrait with the signature of Wil-  
liam II as a gift from the Emperor to  
him. Roosevelt, while this portrait is  
really a souvenir left the officers of the  
Hamburg by the Sovereign on his  
voyage?"

"Through vanity Mr. Roosevelt var-  
nished the truth. He today denies his  
words through interest. I had believed  
him a greater man judging his measure  
by that of his proud country. Certainly  
Mr. Roosevelt is far above others as a  
statesman, all men are equal in America  
as in France. And I think my affirma-  
tion is worth his denial, however, for-  
warded by the telegraph. I saw him  
and I told a little of what he said, be-  
cause it was amusing. And if this re-  
port worries you we can commence all  
over again."

TEICHMANN CONFIRMED BY

SENATE FOR POLICE BOARD

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Kreismann Announces Selec-  
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ciation Secretary.

Robert Burkham, secretary of the St.  
Louis Bar Association and secretary of  
the Young Men's Republican Auxiliary,  
has been selected by Mayor Kreismann  
as his secretary. The Mayor has an-  
nounced he will probably make the ap-  
pointment Friday, with the understand-  
ing that he will not be expected to  
take the place for a month.

Mr. Burkham has been practicing law  
in St. Louis five years and is a member  
of the firm of McPeeters & Burkham.  
He is very popular in the younger social  
set of St. Louis and among members of  
the St. Louis bar.

Mr. Burkham declined to discuss the  
appointment Friday, though the Mayor  
has announced his new secretary will  
assume his duties Monday.

"Mayor Kreismann has not notified  
me of my appointment," said Mr. Burk-  
ham Friday at his home, 4256 West  
Pine boulevard, "and until he does I  
shall have to refer all inquiries regard-  
ing the matter to him."

The new secretary is a United States  
Commissioner in St. Louis, having been  
appointed several months ago by Judge  
Dyer at the request of District Attorney  
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Tarsus in Asiatic  
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Alexandretta Country Laid Waste.

ALEXANDRETTA, April 23.—Fug-  
itives who arrived yesterday relate that  
all the Armenian villages and settle-  
ments in the Alexandretta district are  
being destroyed. Nearly every Ar-  
menian dwelling has been burned and  
the Armenians surviving are lying in  
the open, half starved and in great fear,  
especially of Friday and Sunday.

The village of Bellan, a short distance  
south of Alexandretta, is holding out  
with difficulty against the Nomad tribes-  
men. The British warship which sailed  
to relieve Deirytun, an Armenian vil-  
lage on the coast, returned to Alexan-  
dretta today without having accom-  
plished anything. The commander of  
the vessel applied to the Governor of  
the district for permission to land a  
relief party, but he was refused.

Two more British war vessels are ex-  
pected here shortly. One of the other  
foreign warships in port left today for  
Beirut.

Sultan Is Cheered.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 23.—The  
Sultan appeared upon the streets of  
Constantinople today and was greeted  
by the people with cries of adoration.  
With a mask-like countenance and his  
head sunk between his stooped  
shoulders, he acknowledged the salu-  
tations of the throng by curt nods.

## MAN FOUND DEAD IN BED

Neighbors Hadn't Seen Him for  
Two Days and Caused Inquiry.

An autopsy will be necessary to ascer-  
tain the cause of Adolph Aufschlager's  
death. He was found lying upon a bed  
in his room at 148 South Third street,  
Thursday night by Alexander Heinrich  
of 145 South Third street, who told  
the police Aufschlager had not been  
seen by neighbors for two days. Auf-  
schlager was 60 years old, a widower,  
and lived alone in two rooms at bed  
Third street address. His death is be-  
lieved to have been due to natural  
causes.

One of the mourners.

"Are you one of the mourners?"

"None."

"What relation were you to the deceased?"

"None; but he owed me \$10."

## SHERIFF WAITS TO ATTACH FEES

at With Divorced Husband  
in Murder by Dynamite  
Is Charged.

Interest in the Police Department's

seball and Athletic Association is  
vived by the announcement that the  
omoters will hold a meeting Friday  
evening at the Masonic Avenue Sta-  
n. Arrangements will be made for  
a organization of four ball teams,  
preparing the West End, North End,  
uth End and downtown sections of  
e department. The regular game  
ween the police and letter carriers  
ll also be discussed.

Miss Stella Landwehr, 20 years old,  
says she is awfully obliged to the two  
medical students who assisted her in  
getting her belongings away from her  
home at 3217 Locust street, but that she  
has not the least intention of marrying  
any of them, or anyone else, "any time  
soon."

She just thought, she says, that she  
and her stepmother would get along  
better apart than they had been getting  
along together. She is now staying at  
the home of Mrs. F. L. Herrington,  
3222 Morgan street. Her stepmother,  
Mrs. Harriet Landwehr, having learned  
of her whereabouts, has withdrawn her  
request that the police help her to find  
the young woman.

Circus Party Part of Plan.

To aid Miss Landwehr in leaving her  
home, O. N. Cassel, one of the student  
boarders, arranged a circus party for  
Tuesday night, and invited Miss Land-  
wehr, her stepmother and two young  
women living in the house. On the way  
home he and Miss Landwehr went  
ahead of the others, and they reached  
the house in time to permit her to  
gather her hand baggage and leave the  
house before the stepmother's arrival.

The other student, Chester Sager, had  
remained at the house, and had tele-  
phoned for a drayman and given the  
drayman Miss Landwehr's trunk, to be  
taken to the home of her brother, Wil-  
liam Landwehr, 416 Lexington avenue.

No Wedding Bells for Her.

She went to her brother's home that  
night, and the next day to Mrs. Her-  
rington's. When Mrs. Landwehr learned  
of the girl's departure, she upbraided  
the students, and reported the matter to  
the police.

Sager, whose home is in Idaho, said  
Friday that no wedding bells figured in  
his plans for the near future.

"I like Miss Stella very much," said  
he, "and we all do. That was why we  
went to some trouble to help her to go  
where she wanted to. But I am not  
planning to get married, and I don't  
think she is."

Miss Landwehr, who is profitably em-  
ployed, said Mr. Sager's supposition re-  
garding her was correct.

STUDENTS FEAR HYDROPHOBIA

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., April 23.—After  
an examination of the brain in a dog  
that died in convulsions a few days  
ago, the medical department of Indiana  
University announced today that the  
animal had rabies and 17 students and  
Prof. Charles Hasemann will go at once  
to take Pasteur treatment under the  
supervision of a physician who has  
been called from Indianapolis.

## FOR Gold in Head & Catarrh USE Omega Oil

Pour a teaspoonful of Omega Oil  
in a cup of boiling water, hold the  
mouth and nose close to the cup, and  
inhale the arising steam. The steam  
carries the healing properties of the  
Oil into the throat and lungs, giving  
quick relief. Also rub the nose and  
forehead with the Oil. 10c, 25c, 50c.

## Sale of Women's Neck- wear—Main Aisle.

There are two great assortments  
at 25c and 50c, worth up to 75c;  
including the most up-to-date nov-  
elties. See special tables.

## The Second Week of Our Anniversary Sale Closes Tomorrow

ons in evidence all over the store. The first floor is, as always, full of in-  
cessaries for the toilette, so much in demand on Saturday, will be found at  
particular the aisle tables, with their many special features at sale prices.

o-wear (3d) Floor the Price Inducements are Exceptional

At \$8.75

An Odd Group of  
Junior Suits

Ages 11 to 17 years.

About fifty Suits variously  
worth up to \$20.00 each, will be  
promptly closed out Saturday at  
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Semi-fitting and English  
back coat models of tweeds,  
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Undermuslins and kimono  
Petticoats and bathing suits  
Drapery and lace curtains  
Underwear and hosiery  
Millinery and corsets

Linings  
Domestics  
Flannels  
Prints  
Ribbons  
Trimmings  
Handkerchiefs  
Bedspreads  
Window shades  
Dolls

Mattresses and pillows  
Blankets and comforts  
Pillow cases and sheets  
Veilings and neckwear  
Umbrellas and parasols  
Kid and silk gloves  
Women's skirts and shirt waists  
Wrappers and dresses  
Trunks and valises  
Notions and findings  
Silks and velvets

We are also pleased to announce that **MR. ARTHUR W. BECKER**, president of the J. P. Becker Dry Goods Co., will in the future be connected with our house in a responsible capacity. He will be pleased to welcome his friends and show them every courtesy in his new home.

We beg to announce that the following will also be connected with the B. Nugent & Bro. Dry Goods Co., and they hope to see all their old friends and hosts of new ones in their respective departments at Nugent's.

**MR. HENRY KATHMAN,**

Formerly manager of the clothing dept. of the J. P. Becker Dry Goods Co.

**MR. CECIL ALDRIDGE,**

Formerly manager of the men's and boys' hat department.

**MISS DORA HUND,**

Formerly manager of the ladies' cloak and suit department.

**MR. J. R. ROBERTS,**

Formerly manager of the silk and dress goods department.

**MRS. C. L. BAKER,**

Formerly assistant manager of the silk and dress goods department.

**MISS MARION HARLAN,**

Formerly in charge of the corset dept.

**MR. ARTHUR A. JACKSON,**

Formerly manager of the men's and boys' furnishing goods department.

**MISS LIDA SCHLATTWEILER,**

Formerly manager of the ladies' and children's hosiery and underwear department.

**MISS M. E. GREGG,**

Formerly manager of the lace and embroidery department.

**MRS. ELLA VAN HOUTEN,**

Formerly in charge of the accounts.

All accounts now owing the J. P. Becker Dry Goods Co. will be paid at our store. Fourth floor.

And the following:

**MISS JENNIE STONE,**

**MISS LOUISE LEIDELL,**

**MISS SADIE BLACKBURN,**

**MISS ANNA LORCH,**

**MR. JOHN SCHMIDT,**

**MR. WM. STUHE,**

**MR. J. L. BENTON,**

**MR. BEN COHEN.**

## We also offer great values from our own stock

Extraordinary value for **\$16.50**



Made by the "L" System (like cut to the left) originators of the correct clothes, which have won so many admirers for this new style. Young men who want clothes that show individuality, patterns and styles which are not ordinarily worn, will find these the best to be had, and also at extraordinarily low prices. We are headquarters for this class of clothing. Tomorrow we will show a big variety of lively colorings in one hundred different shades and patterns, in new olives, tans, greens, blue serges, Copenhagen blue, English hairline and pin-stripe fabrics, for Sunday, business and general wear; many of them silk lined; fine variety of Scotch chevots, in silk overwork weaves; all sizes to fit stouts, slims and regulars. You will marvel at the values offered for..... **\$16.50**

\$20 men's silk-lined blue serge suits for \$12.95—made of Oswego serge, guaranteed absolutely fast colors. A new suit for every one that does not give entire satisfaction. Just received by express 500 of these suits for Saturday's selling. They are the best values you ever bought before. Get one Saturday for..... **\$12.95**

Boys' \$5.00 combination suits for \$3.00—here is the suit that has caused our department to be packed with eager buyers. Such values were never had before. We received another shipment of 2000 suits, in olive, brown, tans and neat effects; coat and two pairs Knickerbocker pants. Just think of it! The whole outfit, worth \$5.00, for..... **\$3.00**

Special values in girls' hats

Girls' Ready-to-wear hats in all the new shapes and styles, excellent values..... **75c, \$1.35 to \$3.95**  
Girls' Trimmed Hats for dressy occasions, with French flowers, ribbons, etc., showing the new features in..... **\$1.95 to \$10.50**

Second Floor.

### Girls' shoes, \$1.45

Sizes 11 to 2; worth, if sold in the regular way, \$2.25 and \$2.50; mostly fine kid, with patent tips, in button and lace; Saturday.....

**\$1.45**



OUR line of children's and misses' Summer shoes comprises all that is new in leather and made over lasts that fit the growing foot.  
Ankle strap pumps; all leathers; at, from..... **85c to \$2.75**  
Ties and Oxfords in medium, light or heavy soles for school or dress; at, from..... **\$1.00 to \$2.50**

### A Saturday special sale

Of women's house wrappers

About 20 dozen percale house wrappers, in several different styles; made with fancy square yoke, finished with stitched folds and plaits; full shirred flounce at bottom of skirt; the body has a white lining to the waist; best washable colors in fancy patterns; \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.35 house wrappers, tomorrow at..... **75c**

### A Saturday bargain

In girls' washable dresses

Some 6 or 8 dozen girls' summer wash dresses, in a variety of styles, made of fine fast-colored ginghams and percales, in checks and solid colorings of blue and pink, set off with pipings of white; all sizes from 6 to 14 years; full-plaited skirts, with deep hems; regular \$1.00 and \$1.25 dresses; tomorrow's special..... **69c**

### For man, woman or child

**REBORN** is not a brace, but a support—just a mild and comfortable reminder, but

which at the same time expands the chest and compels deep breathing without interfering with circulation. Round shoulders are often the primary causes of ill health. A correct carriage is the secret of health and beauty. A trained saleslady will show you the comforts and advantages of this splendid article. Price..... **\$1.00**



First Floor.

Our Sale of **\$18 and \$25 silk dresses for \$9.95** is surely the event of the season!

WE knew this sale would be an enormous success, for the values are unmistakable, but we never anticipated such crowds as came this morning. Our suit and costume sections have been thronged all day with enthusiastic purchasers, and many who came to buy a dress bought two and three and four, so irresistible were the offerings. Owing to the large number of garments involved, this sale will continue tomorrow. It's an opportunity never before equaled by this or any other store in St. Louis.

**JUST think of it! Beautiful dresses worth up to \$25.00, offered at this season of the year at only \$9.95. The materials used in their making include the popular and much-wanted Rajah and Tussorah silks, rich messaline satins, French foulards and many silk check and hair-line effects. Many are elaborately trimmed and embellished with silk, hand-raised embroidery; others are plain tailored and finished with buttons, pleats and tucks. Some have the new Dutch lace collars, while others have elaborate yokes of lace and net. Every coloring and shade imaginable this season is represented.**

THE beautiful messaline dress here illustrated is but one of the attractive models. There are hundreds of other dresses in this sale equally as handsome. You can't afford to miss this event, even if you buy to anticipate your wants for the future. We guarantee that no such dresses were ever before offered in this city at anywhere near the price..... **\$9.95**



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Undermuslins and kimonos  
Petticoats and bathing suits  
Drapery and lace curtains  
Underwear and hosiery  
Millinery and corsets

Linings  
Domestics  
Flannels  
Prints  
Ribbons  
Trimmings  
Handkerchiefs  
Bedspreads  
Window shades  
Dolls

Mattresses and pillows  
Blankets and comforts  
Pillow cases and sheets  
Velvets and neckwear  
Umbrellas and parasols  
Kid and silk gloves  
Women's skirts and shirt waists  
Wrappers and dresses  
Trunks and valises  
Notions and findings  
Silks and velvets

We are also pleased to announce that **MR. ARTHUR W. BECKER**, president of the J. P. Becker Dry Goods Co., will in the future be connected with our house in a responsible capacity. He will be pleased to welcome his friends and show them every courtesy in his new home.

We beg to announce that the following will also be connected with the B. Nugent & Bro. Dry Goods Co., and they hope to see all their old friends and hosts of new ones in their respective departments at Nugent's.

**MR. HENRY KATHMAN**,  
Formerly manager of the clothing dept. of the J. P. Becker Dry Goods Co.

**MR. CECIL ALDRIDGE**,  
Formerly manager of the men's and boys' hat department.

**MISS DORA HUND**,  
Formerly manager of the ladies' cloak and suit department.

**MR. J. R. ROBERTS**,  
Formerly manager of the silk and dress goods department.

**MRS. C. L. BAKER**,  
Formerly assistant manager of the silk and dress goods department.

**MISS MARION HARLAN**,  
Formerly in charge of the corset dept.

**MR. ARTHUR A. JACKSON**,  
Formerly manager of the men's and boys' furnishing goods department.

**MISS LIDA SCHLATTWEILER**,  
Formerly manager of the ladies' and children's hosiery and underwear department.

**MISS M. E. GREGG**,  
Formerly manager of the lace and embroidery department.

**MRS. ELLA VAN HOUTEN**,  
Formerly in charge of the accounts.

All accounts now owing the J. P. Becker Dry Goods Co. will be paid at our store. Fourth floor.

And the following:  
**MISS JENNIE STONE**,  
**MISS LOUISE LEIDELL**,  
**MISS SADIE BLACKBURN**,  
**MISS ANNA LORCH**,  
**MR. JOHN SCHMIDT**,  
**MR. WM. STUHR**,  
**MR. J. L. BENTON**,  
**MR. BEN COHEN**.

## We also offer great values from our own stock

Extraordinary value for **\$16.50**



Made by the "L" System (like cut to the left) originators of the correct clothes, which have won so many admirers for this new style. Young men who want clothes that show individuality, patterns and styles which are not ordinarily worn, will find these the best to be had, and also at extraordinarily low prices. We are headquarters for this class of clothing. Tomorrow we will show a big variety of lively colorings in one hundred different shades and patterns, in new olives, tans, greens, blue serges, Copenhagen blue, English hairline and pin-stripe fabrics, for Sunday, business and general wear; many of them silk lined; fine variety of Scotch chevots, in silk overwork weaves; all sizes to fit stouts, slims and regulars. You will marvel at the values offered for..... **\$16.50**

\$20 men's silk-lined blue serge suits for \$12.95—made of Oswego serge, guaranteed absolutely fast colors. A new suit for every one that does not give entire satisfaction. Just received by express 500 of these suits for Saturday's selling. They are the best values you ever bought before. Get one Saturday for..... **\$12.95**

Boys' \$5.00 combination suits for \$3.00—here is the suit that has caused our department to be packed with eager buyers. Such values were never had before. We received another shipment of 2000 suits, in olive, brown, tans and neat effects; coat and two pairs Knickerbocker pants. Just think of it! **\$3.00** The whole outfit, worth \$5.00, for.....

**Special values in girls' hats**

Girls' Ready-to-wear hats in all the new shapes and styles, excellent values at..... **75c, \$1.35 on up to \$3.95**  
Girls' Trimmed Hats for dressy occasions, with French flowers, ribbons, etc., showing the new features in..... **\$1.95 to \$10.50**

Second Floor.

**Girls' shoes, \$1.45**

Sizes 11 to 2; worth, if sold in the regular way, \$2.25 and \$2.50; mostly fine kid, with patent tips, in button and lace; Saturday.....

**\$1.45**

OUR line of children's and misses' Summer shoes comprises all that is new in leather and made over lasts that fit the growing foot.  
Ankle strap pumps; all leathers; at, from..... **85c to \$2.75**  
Ties and Oxfords in medium, light or heavy soles for school or dress; at, from..... **\$1.00 to \$2.50**

**A Saturday special sale**  
Of women's house wrappers

About 20 dozen percale house wrappers, in several different styles; made with fancy square yoke, finished with stitched folds and plaits; full shirred flounce at bottom of skirt; the body has a white lining to the waist; best washable colors in fancy patterns; \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.35 house wrappers, tomorrow at..... **75c**

**A Saturday bargain**  
In girls' washable dresses

Some 6 or 8 dozen girls' summer wash dresses, in a variety of styles, made of fine fast-colored ginghams and percales, in checks and solid colorings of blue and pink, set off with pipings of white; all sizes from 6 to 14 years; full-plaited skirts, with deep hems; regular \$1.00 and \$1.25 dresses; to-morrow's special..... **69c**

**For man, woman or child**

**REBORN** is not a brace, but a support—just a mild and comfortable reminder, but which at the same time expands the chest and compels deep breathing without interfering with circulation. Round shoulders are often the primary causes of ill health. A correct carriage is the secret of health and beauty. A trained saleslady will show you the comforts and advantages of this splendid article. Price..... **\$1.00**

First Floor.

Our Sale of **\$18 and \$25 silk dresses for \$9.95** is surely the event of the season!

WE knew this sale would be an enormous success, for the values are unmistakable, but we never anticipated such crowds as came this morning. Our suit and costume sections have been thronged all day with enthusiastic purchasers, and many who came to buy a dress bought two and three and four, so irresistible were the offerings. Owing to the large number of garments involved, this sale will continue tomorrow. It's an opportunity never before equaled by this or any other store in St. Louis.

**JUST think of it! Beautiful dresses worth up to \$25.00, offered at this season of the year at only \$9.95. The materials used in their making include the popular and much-wanted Rajah and Tussorah silks, rich messaline satins, French foulards and many silk check and hair-line effects. Many are elaborately trimmed and embellished with silk, hand-raised embroidery; others are plain tailored and finished with buttons, pleats and tucks. Some have the new Dutch lace collars, while others have elaborate yokes of lace and net. Every coloring and shade imaginable this season is represented.**

THE beautiful messaline dress here illustrated is but one of the attractive models. There are hundreds of other dresses in this sale equally as handsome. You can't afford to miss this event, even if you buy to anticipate your wants for the future. We guarantee that no such dresses were ever before offered in this city at anywhere near the price..... **\$9.95**



This is an exact reproduction of one of the beautiful dresses offered in this sale..... **\$9.95**

**B. NUGENT & BRO. DRY GOODS CO.,** Broadway, Washington av. and St. Charles



## LACLEDE GAS CO. OWNERS WOULD BREAK MONOPOLY

North American Company Think Its Sale Might Avert Legislation.

DEAL STILL PENDING

American Light and Traction Company Official Goes Over Property.

The North American Co., which owns the United Railways and the Union Electric Light and Power Co., desires to sell the Laclede Gas Light Co. to break up its own monopoly of the public utilities of St. Louis, according to a high official.

The opinion prevails in public utility circles that the North American Co. would feel safer from anti-trust legislation if it disposed of some of its holdings. Some time ago there was a movement on foot among St. Louis people to buy the gas company, but it has not been pressed.

Emerson McMillan, chairman of the board of directors of the American Light and Traction Co., which rivals the North American Co. in magnitude, is making a bid for the Laclede Gas Light Co., but according to directors of the North American Co. the deal has not been closed.

Mr. McMillan, who was identified with the gas light companies of St. Louis several years ago, spent Thursday afternoon going over the properties of the Laclede Gas Light Co. with one of its officials.

Would Not Give Competition. The transfer of the Laclede Gas Light Co. to the American Light and Traction Co. would not, so far as competition is concerned, bring into the local field a rival of the North American Co. James Campbell of St. Louis and Geo. P. Sheldon of New York, both directors in the North American Co., are also directors in the American Light and Traction Co. For legal purposes, however, the transfer might, according to public utility experts, prevent any serious litigation calculated to deprive the public service corporations of their franchise rights.

The Union Electric Light and Power Co. has been attacked by the Circuit Attorney's office and its corporate existence is threatened in a suit now pending in the Circuit Court. The Laclede Gas Light Co., from the standpoint of dividends, is said to be the best property owned by the North American Co. Some of the local owners of North American stock may fight the deal to sell the gas company, as they fear the value of their holdings would be impaired.

Stock Dropped to 25. The stock of the North American Co. was sold to the St. Louis people at 100 and 107, and afterwards dropped to 30. It is now selling at 25, so that the stockholders have little opportunity of getting back their original investment, even if all of the local properties are retained.

The gas light company owns the electric light franchises of the Phoenix Light and Power Co., and the sale of the company with this franchise included to a bona fide competitor might put a rival electric light and power company in the field.

The North American company probably will retain the franchise of the Phoenix company, it is said, so as to prevent any possibility of competition in the electric light and power business. The gas company takes electric light contracts, but since the destruction by fire of the Phoenix plant it gets its current from Union Electric.

Mr. McMillan, during his stay in St. Louis, is a guest of James Campbell, who is the local power in the management of the North American company. Mr. Campbell acquired control of the public utilities of St. Louis for the North American company.

Since Mr. McMillan came to St. Louis Mr. Campbell has been in conference with the other local directors of the North American company. He said Friday that negotiations for the sale of the gas company have not been closed. The financial condition of the American Light and Traction Co. is said by local bankers to be much more flourishing than that of the North American company. Its common stock is selling for \$150 a share, which is considered an indication of prosperity. Local financiers say it is amply able to buy and operate the gas company.

## LIEUTENANT FROTH WITH HIS THROAT CUT AT OLONGAPO

Officer of Marines Had Recently Passed Examination for Promotion.

MANILA, April 22.—Lieut. Albert N. Brunell of the First Brigade of Marines, was found dead in the rear of his quarters at Olongapo, with his throat cut. It is not known whether the young officer committed suicide or met with foul play. The naval authorities are investigating both theories.

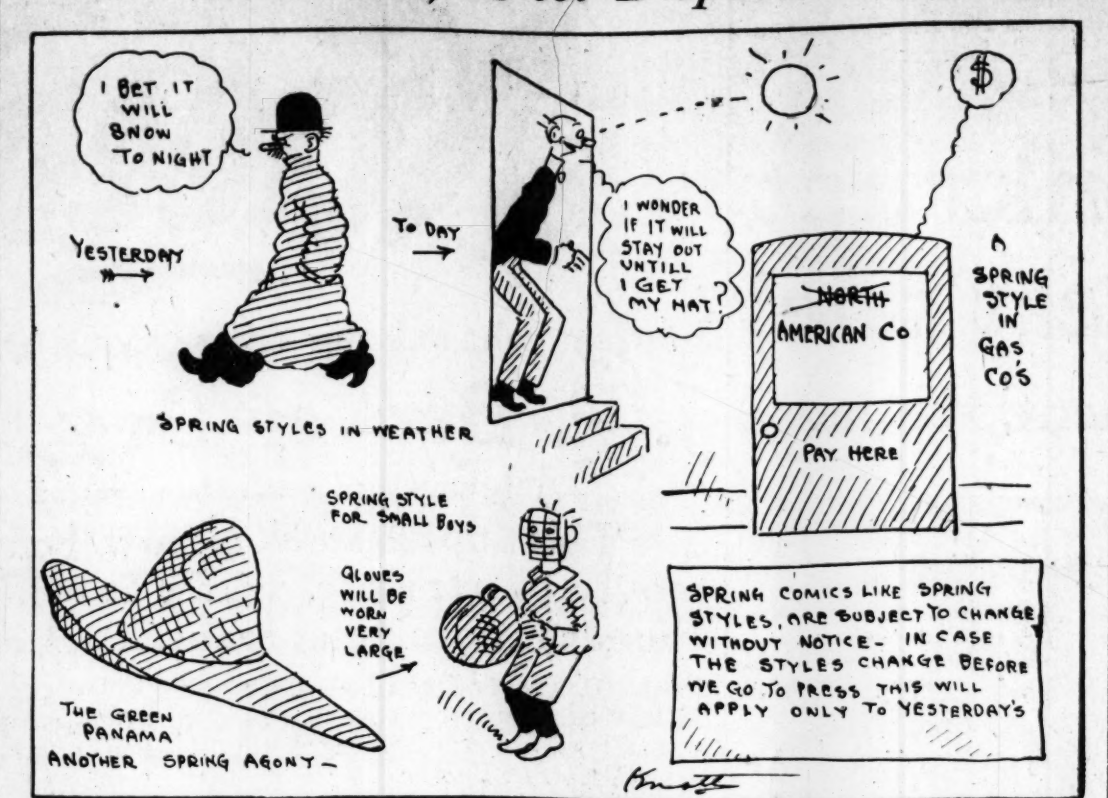
Brunell had just successfully passed an examination for promotion to a captaincy. He was appointed to the Marine Corps from Idaho, his native state, in February, 1906.

## HOTEL HAS WIRELESS STATION

CHICAGO, April 22.—A wireless telegraph station has been established on the roof of the Auditorium Annex Hotel. This is the first hotel in the West equipped.

ation will be used for communication with the Great Lakes with stations that will be established in St. Louis, Detroit and other

## Spring Styles as Noted in City Circles by Post-Dispatch Cartoonist



NOW do the little busy boy adopt the styles of spring. He finds that mitts are worn quite large. And masks are just the thing.

THE bleacherite's behind the style. But wait until it's warm. Then shirt-sleeves in the quarter seats. Will be the proper form.

UNSETTLED still are weather styles. One day it's chill and drizzle. Why can't the poets see that spring's The "mugwump" of the year?

## CHURCH GETS A BIBLE FROM THE GERMAN EMPEROR

Silver Ornamented Book Is Inscribed in Kaiser's Own Handwriting.

A large, silver ornamented Bible, dedicated in the German Emperor's own hand and with his autograph, has been sent to St. Louis as the Imperial gift to the congregation of the Holy Ghost German Evangelical Church, the golden jubilee of which will be celebrated May 2.

The Bible, which is 16x24 inches, is bound in leather and the outer covers are richly embellished, engraved and wrought with silver symbols of the twelve Apostles and other symbols of sacred meaning.

On the day of the jubilee celebration the Bible will formally be presented to the church by Max von Loehr, German Consul to St. Louis, and the acceptance will be made by Dr. Pedro Ilgen, pastor of the church.

The Holy Ghost Church is at Grand and Page avenues. Like many of the large churches of the West End, it first was downtown. Services were held in 1833, but the church was not formally organized until 1834. Only three ministers preceded Dr. Ilgen in the pastorate. They were the Revs. Frederick Pickler, Hugo Krebs and John Eberhard. Dr. Ilgen has been pastor 14 years.

## PURE BLOOD IS THE FIRST ESSENTIAL OF GOOD DIGESTION

Use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Stomach Trouble Followed by Most Remarkable Cures.

The most essential of healthy digestion is good, pure blood. Its work is to furnish a normal flow of the digestive fluids, keep up the activity of the muscles of the stomach and take up the digested food and carry it to the different tissues of the body. Loss of appetite, gas, heartburn and sour stomach are warnings or symptoms that the blood is impure and that, because of it, the stomach is unable to perform its work.

To restore the conditions for perfect digestion, it is necessary to purify and build up the blood. This explains the reason for the constantly increasing use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in all cases of stomach trouble. They contain the elements necessary to make rich, red blood and have succeeded where other remedies have failed.

Mr. M. L. Selp, of No. 2703 Jackson street, St. Joseph, Mo., who has been employed by the C. & Q. R. R. for over twenty years and is foreman of the repair department at St. Joseph, says:

"I think my sickness was due to the nature of my work, which makes my hours for eating irregular, and being out of doors, exposes me to all kinds of weather. I was very ill and felt bloated all of the time. I had dizzy spells which came on me without any warning and I was afraid to go on any scaffolding for fear of falling. There was a dull, aching pain across my back. I was nervous, out of sorts and felt uneasy all of the time.

"I was treated by several doctors and a specialist from Kansas City, but obtained only temporary relief. After about three years of suffering I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I received benefit from the first box and continued with them until cured. I always keep Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in the house, for I believe they are the best blood medicine in the world."

Any reader who is suffering from stomach trouble should send for a copy of our diet book, entitled "What to Eat and How to Eat." It is free whether you will try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills or not and it has helped many to find renewed health and vigor.

All druggists sell Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, or they will be sent by mail postpaid, on receipt of price. 50 cents per box; six boxes for \$2.50, by Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

## ROBBERS WRECK BANK VAULT; MAIL CARRIER ROUTS THEM

Four Charges of Nitro-Glycerin Are Exploded, but Desperadoes Flee Bootyless.

PEORIA, Ill., April 22.—An attempt was made at 1:30 this morning to rob the Merchants and Farmers' Bank at Bath, Ill., nine miles south of Havana. The robbers stole tools from a railroad section house and broke down the doors of the bank. They used four charges of nitroglycerin and had succeeded in getting through the large vault when they were discovered by J. O'Leary, a mail carrier, and frightened away without obtaining any booty.

## PABST AUTO KILLS GIRL

Child Walked in Front of Milwaukee Brewer's Machine.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 22.—Col. Gustave Pabst, while driving in an automobile today, accidentally ran down and killed Lillie Winkler, a 14-year-old girl. The accident occurred just as the girl alighted from a street car and walked in front of the rapidly moving automobile.

Col. Pabst was starting on a trip to Chicago.

## HANDS AND FEET ITCHED 12 YEARS

Suffered Terribly from Eczema which Made Hands and Feet Swell, Peel and Get Raw—Arms Affected, Too—Gave Up Hope of Cure.

USED CUTICURA AND WAS QUICKLY CURED

"I suffered from eczema on my hands, arms and feet for about twelve years, my hands and feet would swell, sweat and itch, then would become all raw and get very dry, then peel off and get raw. I tried most every kind of salve and ointment without success, only got temporary relief. As soon as I would leave off using them I would be as bad as ever. I tried several doctors, took arsenic for two years and at last gave up thinking there was a cure for eczema. A friend of mine insisted on my trying the Cuticura Remedies but, supposing they were the same as other 'cures' I had tried, I did not give them a trial until I got so bad that I had to leave my work. I secured a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment and a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent and by the time they were used I could use a vast improvement and my hands and feet were healed up in no time. I used several bottles of Cuticura Resolvent. This was over a year ago and I have had no trouble since. I think I am entirely cured. Charles T. Bauer, R.F.D. 65, Volant, Pa., Mar. 11, 1908."

## BABIES CURED OF Torturing, Disfiguring Humors by Cuticura.

The suffering which Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment have alleviated among skin-tortured, disfigured infants and children, and the comfort they have afforded worn-out and worried parents have led to their adoption in countless homes as a priceless treatment for the skin and blood. Eczema, rashes, and every form of itching, scaly humor are speedily cured, in the majority of cases, when all else fails.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children and Adults. Cuticura Soap (2c) to Cleanse the Skin. Cuticura Ointment (10c) to Heal the Skin and Cuticura Resolvent (25c) to Purify the Blood. Sold throughout the world. Peter Dink & Co., Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass.

Common Red Clover, known to Quakers many years as a remedy for all sorts of blood troubles, has been found to be a most effective remedy for Eczema, Salt Rheum, Cancer, Rheumatism, Constipation, and all blood diseases. It is a pure, sweet extract from the clover. It is for sale direct, prepaid, on receipt of \$1.15. Send for a sample and information. Full information and testimonials. Business established thirty years. G. NEWMAN'S BROS., 270 Lombard Building, Chicago, Ill.

## CAR COMPANY'S PLANT HERE TO BE SHUT DOWN

Scarcity of Material and Lack of Orders Causes Suspension.

In reference to statements which have been current in industrial circles that the American Car and Foundry Co.'s plant in St. Louis will be shut down indefinitely, T. A. Dooley, district manager for the company, said Friday that the big plant at Lynch and De Kalb streets will be closed Saturday night.

"How long it will remain closed I do not know," he said. "The plant is an 'indefinite' shutdown. The plant was closed Monday and was reopened Friday with 800 of the 1500 employees at work. Scarcity of material and lack of new contracts were given as the reasons for the temporary suspension."

Simultaneous with the statement that works here will be closed came an announcement from St. Charles that the same company's factory there will be continued in operation and that the working force will be increased. Nearly all of the cars made there are of wood, while those manufactured at the St. Louis plant are of steel.

The normal working force of the St. Charles plant is 1800, but only 450 men are now at work.

## POOR INVENTORS' ASSOCIATION IS TO MEET IN MAPLEWOOD

Persons Without Means to Promote Their Creations Will Convene.

R. E. Holsinger announces a meeting of the Poor Inventors' Association at 230 Manchester avenue, Maplewood, Saturday evening. Inventors who have models or plans, whether patented or not, are invited to bring them along for discussion and future action. Anyone who desires to have his model or plan placed in the hands of the market is invited to the meeting.

Plans will be considered looking toward the promotion of worthy creations of mechanical genius whose creators lack funds to place them properly before the world. All models or ideas presented will be listed and published in the report of the meeting, which will be sent to members.

## GOAT'S OWNER FREED BECAUSE NOBODY SAW THE TREES EATEN

Animal Accused of Browning Disastrously, but Always When Neighbors Were Not Looking.

August Frank of 6812 Gravois avenue was rejoicing Friday over the failure of an attempt to get his goat. Dr. Von Classman of 6823 Salzburger avenue, Mrs. Anna Witterhoff of 6823 Salzburger avenue, Mrs. Anna Hale of 4611 Tirolois avenue and Mrs. Katie Schwend of 4919 Tirolois avenue, caused Frank to be charged with maintaining a disorderly goat. The charge was heard by Judge Tracy in the Clark Avenue Police Court Friday.

It was said by the witnesses that the trees and shrubs on their lawns frequently looked as though they had been browsed over by a goat, but when questioned by Judge Tracy none would admit seeing the Frank goat actually eating a tree or a shrub. So Frank was released and the goat still has his appetite.

Anti-Whipping Post Bill Advanced. JEFFERSON CITY, April 22.—A bill by Senator Eads to abolish the whipping post in the State Penitentiary was sent to engrossment by the Senate today. Senators McDavid, Gardner, Eads and Mayor advocated the bill. McAllister and Major opposed it.

## PATTEN FISHING FOR TROUT AS MARKET DROPS

Broker Is Silently Angling for Speckled Beauties in Colorado.

TRINIDAD, Colo., April 22.—James A. Patten, Chicago, wheat king and for the present the Sphinx of the Rockies, set forth to catch trout this morning and kept right on saying nothing.

Clad in a khaki suit and armed with a reel and trout rod, the broker left the Bartlett ranch house shortly after 10 o'clock to spend the day fishing. When the telephone rang he started slightly and walked precipitately out of the room.

He seemed as unconcerned about the affairs of the Chicago wheat pit as the Mexican herders on the ranch. The nearest he came to discussing the wheat situation was when he directed that a liberal supply of bread be packed in his lunch basket.

He was accompanied on his fishing trip by H. W. Adams and Clarence Colvin of Denver, the latter a guest at the Bartlett ranch. Mr. Adams said that Mr. Patten proposed to spend the next few days in trout fishing.

According to the men at the ranch the broker has not seen a newspaper or received a message from Chicago since Tuesday. Mr. Patten slept 13 hours last night and set about enacting the role of hermit with apparently as great determination as he would plan a coup in wheat.

The game preserve on the Bartlett estate where the broker is taking his unexpected vacation affords some of the finest trout fishing in the West. There is an army of servants always at hand with horses and guides innumerable. The estate comprises 200,000 acres in a natural park completely isolated from the outside world. W. H. Bartlett has expended \$500,000 in buildings, irrigation and in stocking trout streams.

Heavy Slump in Grain. CHICAGO, April 22.—Demoralization was general today in the grain pits on the Board of Trade, heavy liquidation which caused the sensational slump in wheat prices yesterday, having extended to coarse grain.

During the first few minutes of trading July wheat sold off to \$1.08, which was 1/2¢ below the low point yesterday. Corn for May delivery broke more than 4 cents from the best mark of the previous day, declining early to 67 1/2¢.

At this point there was a moment's hesitation and a fractional recovery. Then July broke further to 68 1/2¢. May corn, which at the best point yesterday sold at 72 1/2¢, declined today to 67 1/2¢ on early trades.

May wheat tumbled to \$1.03 1/2. The big slump in wheat prices was then checked, at least temporarily, on the profit-taking by shorts and in the absence of further pressure. May wheat closed 1/2¢ and July 1/4¢ over yesterday.

Corn declined heavily early, but regained most of the loss late in the session.



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TO INTRODUCE the "Silver Platinum 7-in-1" Diamond Rings for both ladies and men, Diamond Ear Screws, Scarf Pins and Shirt Studs, we announce the most attractive offer ever made in the jewelry business. This new jewelry (created by us) consists of seven genuine diamonds, full cut, pure white, perfectly pure, set in platinum so cleverly that you cannot tell it from a \$200.00 gem, except on closest inspection. The setting is in Tiffany style for women and belcher style for men, totally different from the old fashioned "cluster" effect. The exquisite beauty of the new setting is absolutely impossible to describe; it must be seen to be appreciated. Introductory price for Saturday, only.....

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## MRS. SCOTT WINS D. A. R. PRESIDENCY BY EIGHT VOTES

Administration Candidate Gets 436 Ballots to 428 for Mrs. Story.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—By a vote of 436 to 428 Mrs. Matthew T. Scott of Illinois was today declared elected president-general of the Daughters of the American Revolution over Mrs. William Cumming Story of New York.

Mrs. Scott's election was a victory for the administration faction. A number of delegates refused to make the election unanimous on Mrs. Story's motion. The count of the ballots kept the tellers busy all night and until 10 a. m. today. Mrs. McLean remained awake in her apartments at the New Willard, where the ballots were being recorded, until after 4 o'clock this morning.

The delay, it is said, resulted chiefly from the fact that after the two official ballots, the "administration" and "insurgent" tickets had been declared, a miscount was revealed, and the tellers—32 in all—were up against a tangle which a faulty system of counting found hard to straighten out.

The tellers were unable to report further on the election. On a motion of Mrs. Murphy of Ohio, a resolution was adopted making Mrs. Donald McLean, the retiring president-general, an honorary president-general.

Here Mrs. Scott, the president-general, was escorted to the platform by a corps of pages. The delegates applauded vociferously.

The office second in importance to that of president-general is vice-president-general, in charge of organization of chapters, and the race between the candidates—Mrs. M. E. Tulloch and Mrs. A. G. Draper—also is close.

In a short speech, Mrs. Scott acknowledged the greeting and the honors the convention had conferred on her, the Illinois delegates at the conclusion of her address gathering about her and singing "Illinois."

The legitimate PAID circulation of the Post-Dispatch in St. Louis and its suburbs is greater than that of ALL other English Dailies COMBINED.

## BOY LOST, BUT KNOWS HIS NAME

Frank Suioeri Is at the Angelica Street Station.

The police of the Angelica Street District have a lost boy whom they declare is a rare specimen of humanity. Although he is 8 years old, he is unable to tell where he lives. His name, according to his own spelling, is Frank Suioeri.

He was found wandering about in the neighborhood of Grand and Kosuth avenues at 5 p. m. Thursday and when a policeman asked him where he was going he said he was lost. He is wearing a white waist, dark knee pants, brown stockings and laced shoes.

## MAN, 70 YEARS OLD, ACCUSED OF OPERATING A LOTTERY

Arrested in Fine Home, He Is Said to Have Sold More Than \$1,000,000 Worth of Tickets.

NEW YORK, April 22.—Joseph Schmidt or A. Schwab, which is said to be his real name, in his seventieth year and living in a handsome three-story house, elegantly furnished, at 427 East 126th street, was arrested at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon in his home on a charge of selling lottery tickets. He will be arraigned before United States Commissioner Shields this morning. He is said to have sold more than \$1,000,000 worth of lottery tickets in the United States in the last thirty years.

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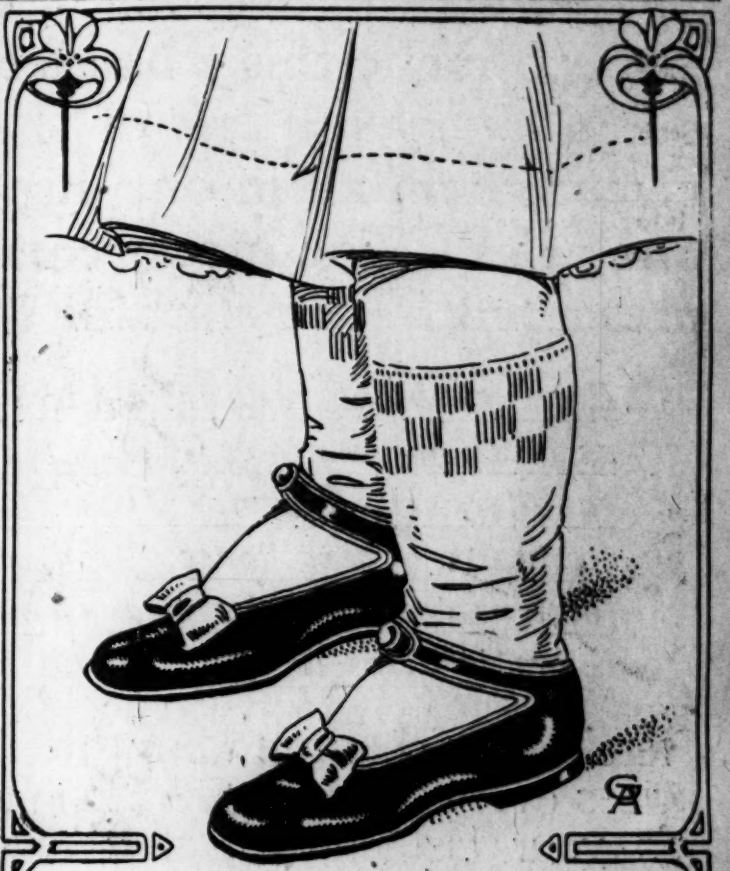
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## Spring Shoes

### Children's Dept.

Grandest assortment of Ankle Ties, Oxfords, Pumps and low effects ever shown in St. Louis. By "long odds" the greatest Children's Department in the city.

\$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.50

Souvenirs for the Children.

### Women's Oxfords

Beautiful Patent Leather Oxfords in all the new styles at..... \$2.50

Patent, Calf and Kidkin Oxfords, all styles..... \$3.00

Black Suede, Ankle Ties..... \$3.50

New low cut effects in Pumps and Oxfords, all styles and leathers..... \$3.50

Suedes in black, gray, brown. Pumps; one eyelet Ties and Oxfords..... \$4.00

Suedes in black, gray, brown; also great variety of new lasts..... \$5.00

### Men's Oxfords

Stylish Men's Oxfords; new toes; the best values in Oxfords..... \$3.00

The American Gentleman, in all styles, leathers, shapes; a great line..... \$3.50

The snappiest, best-looking and by far the strongest lines at..... \$4.00

The greatest \$5.00 line of new "classic" footwear in St. Louis..... \$5.00

Johnston & Murphy's highest grade Men's Oxfords (exclusive agents)..... \$6.00

## SHOE MART

"THE PLACE TO BUY SHOES"

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Notice to Mail Order Customers!

We will gladly send you a very attractive little catalogue on Women's Oxfords if you will send for same.

Shop Mornings!

### The Man Who Has a House for Rent

and the man who wants to rent a house, have a "news-interest" for each other. Here again the little Post-Dispatch Want Ads act as "introducers."

ALMOST EVERY DRUGGIST OUR WANT AD AGENT.

3-Time Ads almost always sure to bring results.



**Sig. Francesco Creatore**

and his band are entertaining the public in our Dining Room daily from 12:30 to 3:30.

A great many people have found amusement in the queer antics of this young leader, who bids fair to rival his renowned namesake.

**Matinee Luncheon**

2:30 Until 5:30 P.M.

**25c**

Cream of Asparagus.  
Salisbury Steak, Sauce Piquante.  
Spaghetti Italiane.  
Potato Croquette.  
Romaine Salad.  
Ice Cream. Assorted Cake.  
Coffee, Tea, Milk.

**Candy Special**

Grand-Leader Candies are the essence of purity. We make them, and we know. Fresh every hour.

Special for Saturday—Cream Taffy, in ten different flavors; it is delicious, regularly 40c a lb.; Saturday **22c**.

Try our hand-rolled Bittersweet Chocolates; lb. **50c**.  
(Main Floor.)

**Women's Neckwear****The Newest Fashions**

**A** SPLENDID assortment of Dutch Collars; old shapes and newest designs; made of lingerie cloth, mull, Plauen and imitation Irish laces; each **49c**.

**D**AINY Jabots, made of lingerie cloth, trimmed in Val and imitation Irish lace and colored embroidery; newest shapes; special, at **49c**.

**A** LL Fancy Mesh Veilings, including Russian and hair-line, chenille, and spotted effects, in all shades; yard, **49c**.

**C** HIFFON Auto Veils; 2 yards long; double width; all leading shades; each **\$1.49**.

**R** EAL Irish Crochet Dutch Collar; 4 inch; special for Saturday only, at **\$2.08**.

**S** PECIAL—Dutch Collars and Jabots, trimmed with Val and imitation Irish laces; collars in round and square effects; regular 49c values; special Saturday (on Bargain Square No. 9) at **25c**.  
(Main Floor.)

**Corinne Oxfords for Women**

Unusual Values at **\$3.00** and **\$3.50**

**T**HERE is not a Woman's Shoe in the market at \$3.00 and \$3.50 that is a whit better than the line we have named "Corinne." These Shoes are made expressly to our order, and are a little better in quality, style and snap than you will find in the ordinary line of shoes at those prices. We absolutely guarantee each pair to give satisfactory service; otherwise, we will exchange them for a new pair, or refund you the purchase price; complete line of sizes and widths; all leathers; **\$3.00** and **\$3.50** a pair.

**R** ED Goose School Shoes for the little ones are designed for comfort, service and appearance. They look good, wear well and fit perfectly. The new Ankle Strap Slippers come in several different styles and lasts; patent kid, in red and tan; prices range according to size; **\$1.50**, **\$2.00** and **\$2.50**.

**H** AVE the children bring drawings of the Red Goose and have them entered in the \$50.00 prize contest. Leave them in the Shoe Department.



# STIX BAER & FULLER D.G.CO. GRAND LEADER



## Greatest Sale of Boys' and Youths' Clothing We Ever Held Begins Tomorrow

**O**NE of the largest makers of Boys' and Youths' Clothes in America (whose name we must withhold) asked us for an offer on his remaining Spring stock, including his finest garments. We offered him a flat price, which he accepted, and will place the entire collection on sale Saturday at 8 o'clock, affording the greatest saving opportunity in boys' apparel St. Louisans have enjoyed in many a day.

Remember, every garment is fresh, new, stylish and this season's manufacture and made up by a concern of national repute. We anticipate great crowds and advise early choosing.

The advantages of this sale are manifold—not alone are you able to choose from a vast assortment of high-class garments, but you may save fully one-fourth the usual purchase price.



**Boys' \$3.50, \$4 and \$4.50 Suits, \$2.95**

This lot embraces both Straight and Knickerbocker Pants Suits of every description; all shades of gray, brown and green; strongly made and lined; splendid School Suits at an unusual price; all sizes from 6 to 17 years; made to sell for \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50; sale price **\$2.95**.

**Boys' \$5.00 and \$6.00 Suits, \$3.95**

This group contains over 50 new patterns in up-to-date colorings for Spring and Summer wear; some lots have two pairs of Knickerbocker pants to match; some are made with fancy cuffs and pocket flaps; also some new all-wool homespun, in tan, gray and green effects; every Suit new and full cut; all sizes; usual \$5.00 and \$6.00 values; on sale at **\$3.95**.

**Boys' \$6.50 and \$7.50 Suits, \$4.95**

Fully one-third of the entire purchase has been marked \$4.95, and this lot gives practically unlimited range for choosing. Every style Suit for boys from 6 to 17 years, as well as Russian and Sailor Blouse Suits for boys from 12 to 10 years; worsteds, velours, cassimeres and serges, in every color and pattern for Spring; usual \$6.50 and \$7.50 values. **\$4.95**

**Boys' \$8.50 and \$10.00 Suits, \$7.45**

In this group you will find some very exceptional garments in Knickerbocker Suits, also Russians and Sailors; exclusive patterns and models, with new cuffs and pockets; all the new shades in tiger stripes and shadow plaids, as well as plain-colored serges; all sizes from 3 to 17 years; usual \$8.50 to \$10.00 Suits for **\$7.45**.

**Boys' \$12.50, \$13.50 and \$15 Suits, \$9.95**

This group affords opportunity to procure the very finest hand-tailored garments for boys at a nominal price. The most exclusive weaves and colorings are represented, in clever new mannish models; very handsomely trimmed and tailored to perfection. An opportunity like this comes but seldom on such high-class garments; usual \$12.50, \$13.50 and \$15.00 Suits for **\$9.95**.

**Children's \$2.50 and \$3 Wash Suits, \$1.95**

Russian and Sailor Blouse Washable Suits; almost every conceivable color and pattern in the lot; all the new trimming effects and the new-shaped sailor and military collars; every size from 2½ to 10 years; regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 Wash Suits at **\$1.95**.

**Children's \$3.50 and \$4 Wash Suits, \$2.45**

This group contains many Suits of imported materials of the choicest new weaves. The assortment is very large, including every new model, as well as new colorings and patterns; every style, Russian and Sailor Blouse represented, in sizes from 2½ to 10 years; usual \$3.50 and \$4.00 Suits at **\$2.45**.

**Youths' New \$15.00 Suits for \$10.00**

Clever new models in snappy colors and patterns, also plain blue and gray effects; fancy cuffs and pockets and long sword lapels; new semi-peg pants, with or without turn-up cuffs, side buckles and belt loops; sizes 30 to 37; Suits that were made to sell at \$15.00, on sale at **\$10.00**.

**Youths' Clever New \$20 Suits, \$15.00**

This group contains some extremely clever new ideas in Young Men's Clothes. Some out-of-the-ordinary features that are new for Spring. The fabrics and patterns are exclusive, and represent all the new shadings of gray, tan, green, blue and smoke; handsomely tailored and correctly cut; all sizes from 15 to 21 years; regular \$20.00 and \$22.50 values for **\$15.00**.

### Canary Birds

**A** SPECIAL shipment of 500 Canaries will arrive by express on Saturday morning. They are the celebrated Hartz Mountain Canaries, and are shipped direct to us. All guaranteed singers, and sell in a regular way for \$3.50 to \$4.00; your choice at **\$2.39**.

**Boys' \$1.50 Hats, 98c**

**F**OR Saturday's special selling, we offer 24 dozen soft felt Hats for boys; in the newest Spring shapes and colors. Also very handsome new black Telescope and College Hats, with fancy bands; very clever; all sizes; regular \$1.50 values; choice at **98c**.

**Book News**

The rapid approach of Spring will make these books attractive. They are all illustrated. **Nature's Garden** by Blanchard Nelle; a beautiful book about wild flowers, **\$1.25**.

**Bird Neighbors**, 98c. **Birds That Hunt and Are Hunted**; (Game Birds) 98c. **Chapman's "Bird Life"**; a hand book of American birds, **\$2.00**.

**How to Know the Wild Flowers**, Mrs. Dana, **\$2.00**. **Our Native Trees**, Keeler, **\$2.00**.

**A Guide to the Wild Flowers**, Lounsbury, **\$1.75**. **Slightly Damaged Nature Books**; we have about 40 volumes of the well-known "Nature Library," three bindings; cloth, 5c, mo. and full mo.; all at ½ price.

**Just Received** "Mr. Opp" by Alice Hegan Rice, author of Mrs. Wiggs, 80c. "A Year Out of Life" by the author of "The Woodcarver of Limpas," **\$1.15**.

## An Extraordinary Sale of Men's Summer Shirts



**S**EVERAL purchases from the leading manufacturers of America are offered in one great sale, which began this morning. The makes that are represented are, Faultless, Eureka and Mattawan; all high grade shirts; this season's productions; new and desirable patterns; garments that are well made of high-class materials, priced at savings ranging from **ONE-THIRD TO ONE-HALF**.

**\$1.00 Negligee Shirts, 50c**

**T**HESE Shirts are in black and white effects; cuffs attached; made to retail at \$1.00; priced in this sale **50c**.

**\$1.25 Negligee Shirts, 85c**

**T**THIS lot consists of soft Madras Shirts, with cuffs attached; in white plaided, fancy effects, also new stripes; both plain and plaided; some with soft collar attached; values to \$1.25; choice **85c**.

**50c Neckwear at 29c**

**A** BOUT 500 dozen pure silk Ties, in newest shades of lavender, sky, taupe, gray, wistaria, black and white, open end Squares or reversible Four-in-Hands and Bat Wing Ties; regular 50c values, priced **29c**.

**\$1.50 Negligee Shirts, \$1.15**

**S**OFT Negligee, Plaided Negligee and White Negligee Shirts; large assortment of fancy Negligee and plaided; in new spring shades; coat style; cuffs attached; also soft collar Soisette Shirts; \$1.50 values; choice **\$1.15**.

**\$2.50 and \$3.00 Shirts at \$1.95**

**T**HESE Shirts are made of imported Russian cords; plaided and plain; also of soft silk pongee; values to \$3.00; choice **\$1.95**.

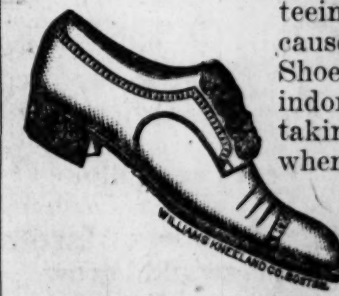
**L**ORRAINE Madras Shirts; plain negligee and pleated styles; most wanted shades; fine imported Russian cords; new yellow, helio and blue; also Shirts with soft collars attached for golfing; \$2.00 values, **\$1.45**

**Kneeland Shoes for Men**

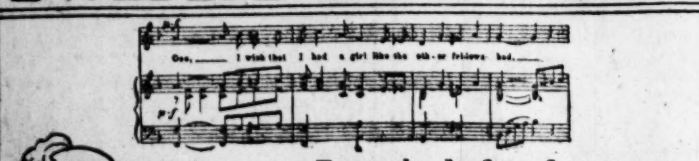
Prices, **\$4.00** and **\$5.00** Pair

We are giving the Kneeland Shoes for men our strongest indorsement, guaranteeing every pair, because we know the Shoes warrant this indorsement. You are taking no chances when you buy the Kneeland Shoes, as we guarantee them in every respect. It remains with you to say whether they have given you satisfactory service or not. Your views are ours. The new spring and summer styles of Oxfords are exceedingly clever; made up of a variety of leathers; **\$4.00** and **\$5.00** a pair.

**T**hat Oxford Sale for Men is still in progress, and you can obtain some very extraordinary values. All leathers are represented—tan calf, brown kid, patent colt, patent kid and gunmetal; made up in the best and newest lasts; there is still a good run of sizes; values to \$5.00; choice, while they last, **\$2.89**.



## I Wish I Had A Girl



**Everybody Says So**  
There's no difference of opinion regarding Remick's new \$10.00 ballad, "I WISH I HAD A GIRL." Everybody says it's Great! Just stop a moment at our popular music dept. and see how fast we're handing it out. Never had such a big demand before for a new song. And our special introductory price is only, per copy, **10c**. By mail, **11c**.

Get all the favorite songs and piano music Saturday at **10c** per copy. "What Makes the World Go Round," and all the hits from a Broken Idol, **10c** each.

**THE NEW BASEBALL SONG.**  
**Let's Get the Umpire's Goat**  
This new song will be the fan's delight. On sale Saturday, **10c** per copy.

**A Musical Note of Interest**  
"I Wish I Had a Girl" this is "the song hit," selected and sung by Myrna Sharlow, the "Girl High School Singer" vocalist with Cavallo's Band. Opening concert Sunday at Forest Park Highlands.

**Specials for Saturday**

**Girls' Junior Suits, \$9.95**

For Saturday's selling we offer smart Tailored Suits for girls 10 to 16 years of age at a very low figure. They are made for the miss who wears her skirts a little above her shoe-tops. The materials are all-wool, hard-finished serge, in navy and green, also black and white checked worsteds; coats regulation length, with semi-fitted back, double and single breasted front, large patch pockets; skirt all-over kilted, made extra full; special, **\$9.95**.

**Misses' Suits, Special at \$19.75**

A vast collection of clever models, both two and three piece styles, in Misses' Suits; \$25.00 and \$30.00 values are offered at **\$19.75**. Coats vary in length from 30 to 42 inches; plain tailored or fancy trimmed; newest flare gored skirt; made of all-wool serges, in navy blue, rose, gray, reseda and black satin-finish cloths; exceptional values; at **\$19.75**.

**in Misses' Department**

**Misses' Street Dresses, \$9.95**

Misses' Dresses of very good quality taffeta silk and satin foulards; smart styles; pretty Empire effect, trimmed with buttons and braid; colors are reseda, navy, rose and gray; special, **\$9.95**.

**Misses' Covert Coats, \$16.50, \$19.75**

Full-length Tan Covert Coats for misses; man-tailored; semi-fitted back; set off with self-cloth buttons; half lined with taffeta; smartly tailored garments, with shape and snap; **\$16.50** and **\$19.75**.

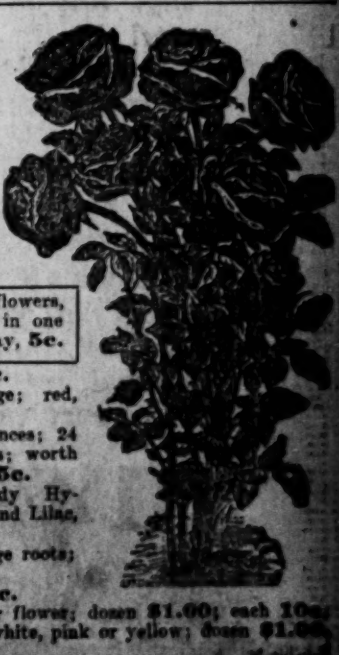
**Misses' and Small Women's Suits**

A very special offering in Suits for misses' and small women; plain and fancy models; of all-wool hard-finished worsteds; in rose, gray, navy, black and tan; coats lined with good quality satin; skirts in the newest gored flare style; regular \$15.00 and \$20.00 values; **\$9.95**.

**Another Sale of Rose Bushes**

This time it's a shipment of 2000 packages of two-year-old bushes; hardy; packed in their own soil; will bloom this year; come put up two bushes to the package; four different assortments:  
Sons de Malmaison The Bride.  
Madame Cochet American Beauty  
Marie Van Houtte La France  
Kaiserin Augusta Victoria  
Mrs. B. R. Cant  
Choice per package of two bushes **25c**

Moon Vines, 5c; has large white flowers, and attains a height of 30 feet in one season; worth 15c; special Saturday, 5c.  
Lily of the Valley Plants; dozen 40c.  
Carnation Plants; three in package; red, white and pink; package 10c.  
California Privet Hedge, for lawn fences; 24 to 30 inches high; 6 to 8 branches; worth 10c; at per hundred \$4.50; each 5c.  
Shrubbery—Dustin, Snowball, hardy Hydrangeas, Althea (Rose of Sharon) and Lilac, purple and white; each 15c.  
Peony Roots; pink, red or white; large roots; each 15c.  
Tuberose Bulbs; large size; dozen 10c.  
Golden Glow Plants; the ever-popular flower; dozen \$1.00; each 10c.  
Chrysanthemum Plants; hardy; red, white, pink or yellow; dozen \$1.00; each 10c.





## LAWYER WANTS TO MAKE HAINS COURT EXHIBIT

Murder Defendant May Be  
Called to Stand to Show  
His Mental Condition.

### BLOW FOR ALIENISTS

Court Holds Talesman With-  
out Faith in Experts Is  
Qualified.

FLUSHING, N. Y., April 23.—Capt. Peter C. Hains Jr., may be put on the witness stand by the defense in his trial for killing William E. Annis. The purpose will be to reveal to the jury his mental condition.

The prisoner's lawyers declare he has no intelligent comprehension of the nature of the proceedings in which he is playing such an important part, and John F. McIntyre, for the defense, said that if he found difficulty in inducing Capt. Hains to take the stand he might even place him in evidence as an exhibit in the case, tagged and identified as such on the court record, like any other exhibit.

With seven jurors in the jury box, the work of selecting the other five men was resumed when court opened today. While the work was proceeding a storm threatened the defense. It started in the morning, when Dr. Louis L. Manson, a medical expert, was quoted as having said to a reporter that Hains is now sane and that his defense would only include the plea of insanity at the time of the killing of Annis.

All the contentions of the defense have been to the contrary, so when Attorney McIntyre heard of the expert's interview, he announced that hereafter he would do the talking for the defense.

Dr. Manson denied he had been correctly quoted. He insisted that he had really said that Hains enjoyed lucid intervals, not that he was sane.

With this explanation the doctor came back to court to sit by Hains. Manson talked with Hains for a few moments just after the noon recess. Gen. Hains and Maj. Hains are in line with Attorney McIntyre on the subject of present insanity.

It was not a good day for experts. Justice Garretton ruled that a man

## ACCUSED ARMY OFFICER ON HIS WAY TO COURTHOUSE



CAPT. PETER HAINS (AT RIGHT) AND HIS JAILER.

might not be disqualified because he had no faith in the expert brigade and made the defense challenge Philip B. McMann of Wood Haven, after he had talked about experts harshly.

"Why are you biased against experts?" he was asked.

"I have always considered that most experts, if they were hired by the other side, would work up just as good a case," he replied.

"Does that apply to all experts?"

"No, to medical experts. I believe strongly in handwriting experts."

"Suppose a hypothetical question were put to you, what consideration would you give an expert's answer to it?"

"Not much to either side," said Mr. McIntyre.

"Overruled," said the Justice.

## BRIDEGROOM IS KIDNAPED; BRIDE UPBRAIDS THEM

Young Mrs. Haynes Failed to  
Appreciate Practical Joke  
of Friends.

James C. Haynes played the title role in a one-act comedy entitled "The Kidnaped Bridegroom," in which the other chief actors were Murray Carleton Jr., Harry Specht, Louis Smith, Walter Northern and Harry Foelsing, all associates of Haynes in the employ of a Washington avenue wholesale house.

The little performance was not enjoyed by young Mrs. Haynes, who had just ceased to be Miss Edith Blanche Perry, and Friday, at her new home, 1333 Blackstone avenue, she said she was not sure whether she had forgiven her husband's friends for the somewhat embarrassing position in which they left her while they drove with him about the city in a carriage.

The young men named were guests at the wedding of Haynes and Miss Perry at her home, 743 Aubert avenue, Wednesday night. Almost immediately after the ceremony, which was at 8 p. m., Harry Specht, the best man, aided in getting the bridegroom outside to view a "present" which was too large to carry inside. The five suddenly pushed him into a carriage, jumped in with him and told the driver to take any direction he chose.

After they quieted their protesting captive, the young men directed the driver to a downtown restaurant, where they took supper with and "on" Haynes. When they got back to the house it was after 11, and the other guests had gone. They thought they would go inside and explain. The bride met them at the door. When she had finished delivering her opinion of the performance, the young men had all forgotten what they intended to say.

## WILL DEDICATE A CHURCH WINDOW TO COL. ROOSEVELT

Pastor of Metropolitan Temple  
Plans Novel Tribute to Last  
Administration.

NEW YORK, April 23.—A glass window as a tribute to Theodore Roosevelt will be installed next month on the Metropolitan Temple, of which the Rev. John Wesley Hill is pastor. The window is now on exhibition at the Tiffany studios and is entitled "Equal Justice to All." On the border is this inscription:

"In memory of the administration of Theodore Roosevelt. Sept. 14, 1890, March 4, 1901."

Dr. Hill has arranged a dedicatory program in which many well-known statesmen and ecclesiastics will participate, and which will extend from May 23 to May 30.

The Metropolitan Temple already contains a peace window in memory of Gen. Grant and a McKinley memorial organ, which was dedicated last December.

## POLICEMAN KNOCKED INTO GUTTER BY SPEEDING AUTO

Lamp Torn Off May Lead to  
Identity of Chauffeur Who  
Did Not Stop.

A two-seated red automobile with a black top, all curtains down, estimated to be running 25 miles an hour, struck Patrolman Charles Worster of the Second District while he stood waiting for a street car at the southwest corner of Broadway and Hickory street Thursday night. Worster was tossed ten feet into the gutter. His head was cut and one of his knees was badly bruised. The car knocked a lamp from the automobile, which sped north without stopping.

Friday morning the police in the Eleventh District found an automobile answering the description, with one lamp missing. The lamp knocked off bore no number or other mark. Special officers hope to identify the car that injured Worster by comparing the two lamps.

Worster, who is 25 years old, was in citizens' clothing. He was escorting Miss Amanda Gardt of 1021 South Broadway to her home at the time of the accident and had stepped into the street to look for a southbound car. He was taken to his home at 803 Hickory street.

## TELEPHONES USED BY TRAIN DISPATCHERS IN ILLINOIS

Orders Given Through Phone Are  
Repeated by Telegraph.

CHICAGO, April 23.—The Illinois Central, the Burlington and the Atchafalaya are now moving trains by telephone. The regular operators and the keys are retained, but the men and some women are being trained to use the telephone. The Illinois Central is using telephones on its main line as far south as Carbondale, Ill.

The train dispatchers are moving trains by telephone and duplicating orders by wire. The chief difficulty so far has been the transmission of figures by telephone. The Atchafalaya reports success in its train telephone service. The Illinois Central has been using telephones on its suburban service for some time, and yesterday extended it 300 miles south.

**Fight for the Widows.**

From the New York Press. When the heat of a real family fire dies is a magnificent field battle by the champion warriors for the distribution of his widow's. Many fair hearts are broken by the vanquished of the handsome young contests. If you want some of the most interesting reading of your experience write and request the Smithsonian Institution in Washington to send you some of its literature on seals.

## 14 CANDIDATES FOR 7 PLACES ON LIEDERKRANZ CLUB BOARD

Annual Election Will Be Held Sat-  
urday at Grand and Mag-  
nolia Avenues.

Fourteen candidates for the seven vacancies on the Board of Directors of the Liederkranz Club will be voted on at the club's annual election, Saturday. The polls will be open in the clubhouse, Grand and Magnolia avenues, from 4 to 10 p. m.

The official ballot bears the following names: President, Louis Hilfer; first vice-president, Dr. Lorenz Thumser; second vice-president, Julius Reinhold; directors, C. D. Boisselier, M. Eysell, H. H. Fabricius, H. W. Geller, E. S. Gempp, George P. Hamman, F. Hezel, E. A. Holm, Charles Kraus, F. Meixner, J. W. Potthoff, Hy. O. Rolles, Julius Winkelmeier and E. Tolkaek.

**THE IDEA WAS ORIGINAL.**

He would save 5.00 by getting one of those 13.50 sample suits at the Globe, 7th and Franklin av., tomorrow. They'd cost 18.50 anywhere else.

## NEW PIANIST IS HEARD AT MUSICAL OF WELLESLEY CLUB

Miss Priscilla Carver of Chicago  
Scores Success in Initial Per-  
formance in St. Louis.

The Wellesley club musicale at the home of W. E. Bixby Thursday evening introduced to St. Louis lovers of music a new pianist, Miss Priscilla Carver of Chicago, who made her debut with Walter Damrosch's New York Symphony Orchestra.

The program offered a variety of selections from Chopin, Schumann, Schmitt-Tausig and Schubert. It ranged in scope from the daintiest web of fancy, requiring the lighter and most delicate touch, to a severe test of power and intelligence. Miss Carver won a success at every point. Her work was marked by delicacy, skill and understanding.

Mrs. Ewell Suchner, who assisted Miss Carver, gave an aria from "Samson and Delilah" and Lessa Lehmann's song cycle, "The Rose." Both selections fitted her fine contralto voice and were rendered with rare feeling and art.

Misses Bixby, Kenard, Farwell, Hecker, Goddard, Butler and Day, graduates of Wellesley, were ushers. Mr. and Mrs. Bixby and Miss Bixby received the

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like thing to be doing. Angus, when you was  
telling the whole town that I was drunk and  
the week that we was in Glasgow.  
Angus: I never said no such word out o'  
my lips. Dugald Mackay. And I said was  
that you was perfect sober on the Sabbath  
day.



# Clothing Snap of the Season!

## The Globe Places on Sale Tomorrow, 8 A. M. 600 Sample Suits!

Snappy Spring Styles for Men and Young Men  
Secured from America's Foremost Tailors at a Big Discount for Spot Cash.  
Investigate this sale tomorrow before you part with any money. See these  
values in the Globe's show windows.

Tomorrow  
Choice of 300  
Men's and Young Men's  
Suits, \$12, \$13.50  
and \$15  
**9.50**

These classy Suits are single or double breasted, and are made from fancy worsteds, cassimeres, chevots and blue serges; the colors are gray, blue, brown, olive, bronze and fawn; all the new 1909 "kinks" in trimming, buttons, etc.; elegantly tailored and "natty" fitters. The Suits for young men come in all the new college styles; fit superbly; all the kinks the young men of today are looking for; high-grade worsteds, chevots and velvet cassimeres; also blue serges; all the high colors demanded by young men of today; these positive \$12, \$13.50 and \$15 Suits tomorrow.



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**SUITS**  
The peer of all ready-to-wear clothes, and the **GLOBE** is a St. Louis selling agent. "Harvard" Suits and Topcoats; finest pure wool worsteds, chevots, etc.; superb new 1909 novelties; every new color scheme; sizes to fit large, small, long, short and all sizes and shapes of men; equal to 45.00 made-to-order clothes; priced specially for tomorrow.  
**20.00**  
Others from 14.50 to 35.00.

Tomorrow  
Choice of 300  
Men's and Young Men's  
Suits, \$16.50, \$18  
and \$20  
**13.50**  
These are beauties. All the new, classy "kinks"—every conceivable new 1909 "fad"—each separate, original 1909 mode—in a word, all that's new and up to the minute in the way of cut, pattern, trimming, etc., in Spring Suits is represented in this array of "beauties," comprising pure worsteds, "loud" or subdued chevots, imported cassimeres, black clay worsteds, fine blue serges, etc.; look at these tomorrow, you'll surely choose one of these \$16.50, \$18 and \$20 suits, for.....  
**13.50**

EXTRA SPECIAL For Tomorrow Only  
Men's and Young Men's Pure Wool  
**BLUE SERGE SUITS**  
GUARANTEED absolutely fast color. The come in single or double breasted in regular or extra large sizes, stouts, slims, etc.; absolutely 12.50 value; for tomorrow only.....  
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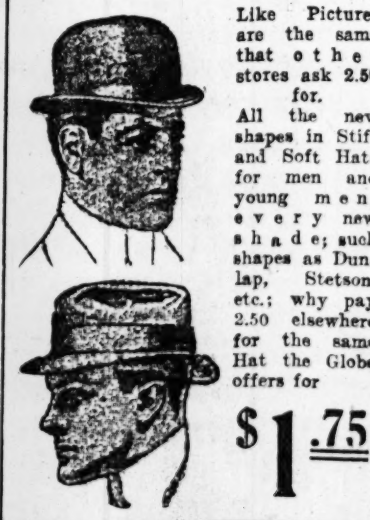
**THE Business Institution** that would grow great must stand for something besides mere money getting. Croak stands for "fair play," in our relations with the clothes-buying public. We want your patronage and the patronage of you neighbor, but we will not stoop to exaggeration or misrepresentation to secure it; exaggeration is a destructive, not a constructive force in business building; misrepresentation has no part in the foundation of the commercial structure that endures; your Spring Clothes purchased at Croak's means a saving you cannot afford to ignore. We know it; it is your privilege to investigate.

Croak's System Ready-to-wear Suits for young men, old men and old young men—in our two special lines that are extraordinary values, priced at

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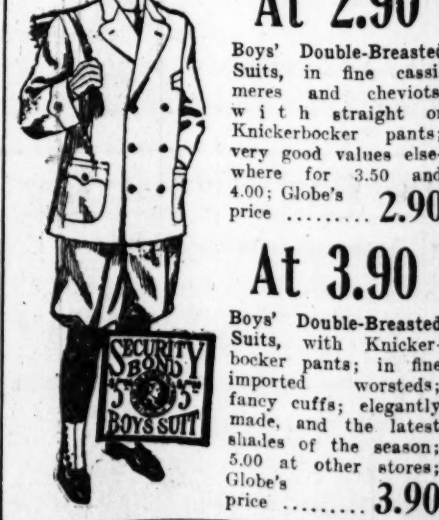
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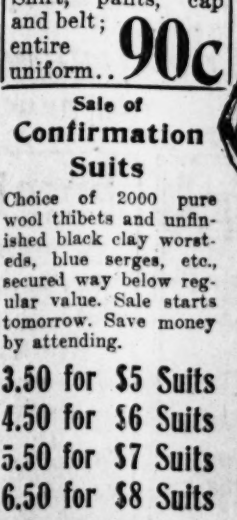
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Boys' 4.00 Suits  
Tomorrow  
At **2.90**



Boys' Double-Breasted Suits, in fine cassimeres and chevots, with straight or Knickerbocker pants; very good values elsewhere for 3.50 and 4.00; Globe's price ..... **2.90**  
At **3.90**  
Boys' Double-Breasted Suits, with Knickerbocker pants; in fine imported worsteds; fancy cuffs; elegantly made, and the latest shades of the season; 5.00 at other stores; Globe's price ..... **3.90**

Boys' Baseball  
Uniforms  
Shirt, pants, cap  
and belt;  
entire  
uniform..... **90c**

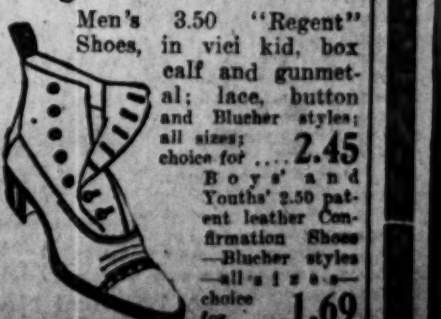


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Suits  
Choice of 2000 pure wool thibets and unfinished black clay worsteds, blue serges, etc., secured way below regular value. Sale starts tomorrow. Save money by attending.  
**3.50 for \$5 Suits**  
**4.50 for \$6 Suits**  
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**2.19 for Men's 3.50 and 4.00 Low Shoes**

Beginning tomorrow at 8 a. m., we will put on sale 876 pairs of Men's 3.50 and 4.00 Low Shoes, consisting of such well-known makes as "W. L. Douglas," "Burt & Packard," "Sir Knight" and "Emerson's," patent colt, vici kid, tan calf and velvet; lace, button and Blucher styles, also plain and custom toes; Goodyear welts, every pair guaranteed to give satisfaction; for tomorrow only, choice..... **2.19**  
Men's regular 3.50 Shoes; all styles and leathers; tomorrow **2.85**  
Men's 3.50 "Regent" Shoes **2.45**



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We Give and Guarantee GOLD CASE VALUE STAMPS.  
\$1 Worth of Goods for a Full Book of Them.



## CARS TO HAVE RIGHT OF WAY IF BILL PASSES

Proposed Ordinance Will End  
War Between Motormen  
and Teamsters.

AIMS AT AUTO PERIL

Provides That Machines Shall  
Not Run Parallel to Mov-  
ing Trolley.

The perennial war between motormen and teamsters will be ended or abated if the new driving ordinance, soon to be submitted to the Municipal Assembly, becomes effective in the manner intended.

The ordinance will require drivers of vehicles to give to cars free passage on signal by the motorman. Motormen, it is provided, must come to a full stop at any crossing between vehicles. The danger to trolley passengers is sought to be removed by the provision that automobiles shall not run parallel with moving street cars, but shall either precede or follow them.

Rules as to Driving.  
Rules as to driving, intended particularly for buggies and private conveyances, are that such vehicles must turn to the right in meeting and turn to the left in passing each other. This is qualified in other provisions, some of them as follows:

On an avenue, or on a street divided by an avenue, parkway or any other obstruction, vehicles must pass to the right. Crossing must be at right angles along the right curb when changing direction, and not in diagonals. No vehicle shall stop with its left side to a curb, and no vehicle shall stop in any street except at the right-hand curb, and so as not to obstruct a crossing.

No vehicle shall back to make a turn in any street if by so doing it interferes with other vehicles, but shall go around a block or to another street sufficiently wide to turn in without backing.

In slowing up or stopping, some signal must be given the vehicles immediately behind. Before backing, warning must be given to other vehicles.

If a vehicle passing along the right side of a street is to be stopped in front of a place on the left side, the driver must make a complete turn in direction before coming to a halt so the curbing will be at his right hand. The police are made the arbiters in all matters relating to the enforcement of the law, and the word of a policeman is declared to be final.

## JURY IGNORES UNWRITTEN LAW; CLARK TO SERVE 15 YEARS

Slayer Fails to Win Acquittal by  
Story of Wife's Alleged  
Misconduct.

The declaration made by District Attorney Jerome in the Thayer trial that the "unwritten law" is not recognized east of the Mississippi River, but is confined to the West, did not apply to the jury in Judge Allen's division of the criminal court which Thursday night found James E. Clark guilty of murder and fixed his punishment at 15 years in the penitentiary.

Clark was tried for killing Joseph E. Flood, whom he shot to death in front of the Clark home, 3429 Bell avenue, on the afternoon of Dec. 1 last, and although he offered the technical excuse of self-defense, he injected the "unwritten law" into the case by referring to Flood's alleged fondness for Mrs. Clark. Assistant Circuit Attorney Dyer objected to evidence relating to Flood's alleged relations with Mrs. Clark, and Judge Allen sustained him, but the defendant managed to tell the jury that he had suspected his wife of improper conduct.

The jury deliberated five hours. The testimony of several women and a little girl who said they saw Clark firing bullets into the body of Flood while the latter was praying for his life was considered by the jury as strong rebuttal of Clark's self-defense play.

## ADMITS THEFT AND SAYS HE LOST MONEY ON THE RACES

Trying to "Pick Winners" Sends  
Railroad Collector to the  
Penitentiary.

With tears streaming down his face, Frank Edgington, 23 years old, entered a plea of guilty in the Circuit court at Belleville to a charge of embezzling \$298 from the Illinois Central Railroad. "I took the money, Judge," he said, "and lost it playing the races. I got in with a crowd of fellows who bet on the races. I lost a little money at first and then took other money to cover my losses and got in so deep I could not get out again."

Edgington's home is in Louisville, Ky., but he had been working as a collector for the Illinois Central in East St. Louis for several months. He will serve an indeterminate term in the Chester Penitentiary.

Others who pleaded guilty before Judge Holder were John Jones, petit larceny, 30 days in jail and \$10 fine; Joseph Cherry, larceny, to Reform School; Henry Voorhis, burglary and larceny, Reform School; Adolph Williams, larceny, to penitentiary; Arthur Williams, larceny, to penitentiary.

Annual Turnverein Exhibition.  
The annual gymnastic exhibition of the St. Louis Turnverein will be given Sunday evening, beginning at 8:15 o'clock. Diplomas of honor for 25 years' constant membership will be presented to Fred Schneider and Henry N. Walther. Otto H. Deibel will direct the exhibition.

## CHICAGOAN AIMS AT COCAINE TRAFFIC IN I-ACT PLAY, "DOPE"

Joseph Medill Patterson's Latest  
Literary Attempt Depicts Sale  
of Drug to Children.

CHICAGO, April 23.—The cocaine traffic in Chicago is the target of the latest literary endeavors of Joseph Medill Patterson, embodied in a one-act playlet entitled "Dope," which will be produced as an afterpiece at the Bush Temple Theater next week.

The scene of the play is laid in a drug store, which for years has been under attack by Hull House workers and others interested in juvenile reform, and the evil most directly dealt with is the sale of cocaine to children.

Mr. Patterson worked up his material from conferences with Dean Sumner, Dr. Alice Hamilton of Hull House and police officials.

It was not Mr. Patterson's original intention to bring the play out in Chicago, for he had already made arrangements with Winthrop Ames to produce the play in the new theater in New York. He has been persuaded, however, to give it a week's tryout in Chicago, his native city.

## HARRY DALE NOW SAYS HE SHOT HIMSELF BY ACCIDENT

Alton Woman Still Believes He  
Tried to End Life for Love  
of Her.

Harry Dale of Alton, who was found shot through the chest under a window of Mrs. Alvina Ray's residence an hour after she had refused to marry him, has told his father, William Dale, that the shooting was accidental.

In a lucid interval at St. Joseph's Hospital Thursday afternoon, he said: "Father, I was handling my revolver carelessly and it was discharged."

When his father questioned him as to how he came to be handling the weapon outside the window of the room in which Mrs. Ray sat, Dale lapsed into unconsciousness.

Earlier he had said: "Father, I didn't do it," and this was taken to mean that someone else had shot him when he had made his later statement.

His condition is serious. The bullet is buried in his right lung and because of his weakness the surgeons have been unable to extract it. Mrs. Ray still believes that Dale shot himself for love of her, she says.

## POLICEMAN ARRESTS POOR DRIVERS AS THIEVES

Men Who Drove Salesman's Horse  
Onto Sidewalk Fired Shot  
Into Crowd.

Steve Willis, 923 North Fifteenth street, and Charles Logan, 258 Gerald street, are in a cell at the Carr Street Police Station, charged with stealing a horse and buggy belonging to Richard Fecht, 2441 Armand place, a salesman for the Hess & Culbertson jewelry house.

Thursday afternoon Patrolman Frank O'Hara, while standing in front of 1533 Lucas avenue, saw two men in a buggy drive up Fifteenth street and turn west on Lucas. They were poor drivers and the horse got on the sidewalk. A crowd collected and the policeman heard a shot fired.

O'Hara rushed up as the buggy started again. Logan was driving. Willis held a revolver in his right hand and a whip in his left. He had fired a shot into the crowd.

As the policeman approached, Willis pointed the revolver at him and shouted, "Look out, Frank!"

The men drove on, O'Hara pursuing.

## THEATER MANAGERS ORGANIZE

St. Louisans in Movement for  
Closer Co-Operation and  
Protection.

CHICAGO, April 23.—The Stock Theater Managers' Association of America was organized yesterday by the selection of Chicago as headquarters. The purpose of the association is to uplift the stock houses throughout the country by closer co-operation and mutual protection in the production of plays.

W. W. Wittig of Milwaukee was elected president and Edwin Thanhauser of Chicago, secretary.

Among the managers present were: O. W. Woodward, Kansas City; W. S. Avis, St. Louis, and S. L. Willson, St. Louis.

To Err Is Human.  
From the Washington Herald.  
"Some say it's a mistake to marry."  
"Well," commented Mrs. Sixthub, "to err is human."

## BANK CLERKS TO GIVE SHOW ON CHAPTER'S ANNIVERSARY

Feature of Entertainment at Odeon  
Friday Night Will Be "Bank-  
ers' Marathon."

The Bank Clerks' Minstrels, officially known as the members of the St. Louis Chapter of the American Institute of Banking, will give a show at the Odeon Friday night, April 23, on the tenth anniversary of the organization of the chapter.

Vincent L. Belsaubin will be interlocutor, and the manipulators of the bones and tambourines will be Louis H. Brunswick, Ernest Collins, Arthur F. Beyer, Clyde A. Kuntz, Henry H. Aehle, C. S. Pryor, Leo Z. Terry and Walter Greenwald.

The feature of the show will be the "Bankers' Marathon." The program says the runners will be William H. Thompson, Jules A. Beringhaus, Edward Hidden, G. W. Garrels, W. P. Kennett, George A. Held, William H. Lee, Brockbridge Jones, B. F. Edwards, Adolphus Busch, J. H. McGluney, Charles H. Huttig and Walker Hill. They will be identified by their numbers.

## PEDESTRIAN WESTON IS MIRED AT DWIGHT AND IN BAD HUMOR

Discharges His Attendant and Has  
Tilt With an Automobile  
Concern.

DWIGHT, Ill., April 23.—Edward Payson Weston, the pedestrian, was stranded in the mud here yesterday. The going was too heavy and the veteran was forced to spend the day here instead of proceeding to Bloomington, as he had intended.

The day previous Weston walked in Illinois muck up to his knees in the midst of a soaking rain. He had some trouble with his attendant yesterday and let him go. He also had a tilt with the automobile firm which has been sending a machine with him, and announced that he is going back to old-time horse and buggy.

He will deliver a lecture on long-distance walking at the Y. M. C. A. in Bloomington tonight.

Didn't Mean It.  
From the Chicago Tribune.  
Provoked Mother: Tommy, you're the plague of my life.  
Tommy (sneezing up to her): You wouldn't talk that way if somebody'd kidnap me, would you, mamma?

There is nothing in  
all this world that is  
cleaner or sweeter than  
a clean baby.

And there is no better  
way to keep a baby  
clean than by the regu-  
lar and frequent use of  
Ivory Soap.

A white soap, it yields  
a snow white lather—a  
lather that cleans, but  
does not injure, the  
most delicate skin.

Ivory Soap  
99 1/2% Per Cent. Pure.

## Diamonds at One-Fourth Off! Our Already Low Prices Reduced 25 Per Cent!

Just for one day—Saturday—prices on our immense stock of fine Diamond Rings and other Diamond Jewelry will be reduced 25 per cent! Included are superb Diamond Rings, Brooches, Pendants, Locketts, etc., which at their marked prices are from 25 to 33 1/3 per cent below what exclusive jewelers ask. Articles ranging in price from a few dollars to hundreds of dollars. A sweeping discount of 25 per cent on everything in stock!

|                                                                                      |                                                                                    |                                                                                    |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Diamond Solitaire Ring, value \$295.00—our price \$229.00—less 25% makes it \$171.75 | Diamond Horseshoe, value \$175.00—our price \$148.00—less 25% makes it \$111.00    | Diamond Bracelets, real value \$40.00—our price \$28.00—less 25% makes it \$21.00  |
| Diamond Solitaire Ring, value \$45.00—our price \$35.00—less 25% makes it \$26.25    | Diamond Scarf Pins, value \$50.00—our price \$39.00—less 25% makes it \$29.25      | Diamond Bracelets, real value \$110.00—our price \$85.00—less 25% makes it \$63.75 |
| Diamond Solitaire Ring, value \$10.00—our price \$7.50—less 25% makes it \$5.63      | Diamond Ear Screws, value \$60.00—our price \$42.00—less 25% makes it \$31.50      | Diamond Pendant, real value \$115.00—our price \$88.00—less 25% makes it \$66.00   |
| Diamond Solitaire Ring, value \$95.00—our price \$65.00—less 25% makes it \$48.75    | 2-kt. Diamond Brooch, value \$195.00—our price \$150.00—less 25% makes it \$112.50 | Diamond Locket, real value \$15.00—our price \$9.50—less 25% makes it \$7.13       |
| Diamond Signet Ring, value \$5.00—our price \$3.00—less 25% makes it \$2.25          | Diamond Brooch, real value \$30.00—our price \$22.50—less 25% makes it \$16.87     | Diamond Shirt Stud, real value \$50.00—our price \$39.00—less 25% makes it \$29.25 |

### High-Class Gloves of Kid or Silk

Kayser's Milanese Silk Gloves, heavy quality, 16-button length, all sizes, in black, white and colors, Paris point stitched backs, per pair.....\$1.00

Jouvin's Kid Gloves, in black, white and colors, all sizes, every pair warranted; regular \$2.00 values; per pair.....\$1.65

## Wm. Barr Co.

St. Louis

### Women's and Children's Seasonable Hosiery

Women's like-silk and imported Lisle Hosiery, in gray, reseda, oxblood, helio, navy, pink, sky, French, tan, red, violet, champagne tan and black; worth up to 50c per pair; Saturday.....25c

Children's black cotton Hosiery; fine ribbed fashioned kind with double knees, heels and light weight; all sizes; 25c value; Saturday, 3 pair for 50c; or, per pair.....19c

### A Splendid Handkerchief Sale

Additional shipments have replenished depleted stocks, making choosing fully as good as on the first day of the sale! That the Handkerchiefs are not cheap in quality as well as low-priced is due to the peculiar manner in which we run our handkerchief business. By taking advantage of especially favorable opportunities we are able to offer you pure linen handkerchiefs, of the quality of which we are assured, at prices that cannot be matched for lowness elsewhere.

Men's, Women's and Children's Handkerchiefs, of fine quality cloth; plain script letters, openwork letters and several styles with wreath designs; worth 10c each, for.....5c

Women's Hemstitched Crossbar Handkerchiefs, sheer and medium weight linen; 12 1/2c values, each.....6c

Hemstitched Handkerchiefs of pure linen with openwork and script initials for men and boys, each.....10c

Women's Handkerchiefs of fine sheer linen, hemstitched and embroidered all around; also beautifully embroidered corners, in French designs; 35c values, each.....19c

Men's very fine quality pure Irish linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs, plain and crossbar, with and without initials; 25c values; each.....15c

Women's hemstitched Handkerchiefs, pure linen, sheer and heavy weight, with embroidered initials in floral wreath and other pretty designs, 15c and 19c values, each.....10c

### A Big Shirt-Buying Opportunity!

Spie, span, new Negligee Shirts, with cuffs attached, made by one of the foremost Shirt specialists of this country from Anderson's finest woven and swivel madras fabrics, in blues, tans, grays, and light patterns; well worth \$2.00; some are even \$2.50 values; our price will be.....\$1.10

### A Sale of Imported French Jewelry

We've just purchased and offer tomorrow over 5000 dainty French Art Pieces, comprising the latest Parisian jewelry designs, at considerably below real worth of the goods.

Imported Jabot and Belt Pins, Hat Pins, Hat Pins and long and Belt Pins; \$1.00 to \$2.00 values, for.....95c

Billiken Jewelry—We have a complete line of the various articles.

Billiken Scarf Pins.....10c values for 5c

Belt or Sash Pins, 25c values for 15c

Billiken Hat Pins, each.....15c

Billiken Belt Buckles, 50c value.....25c

Billiken Back Combs of shell, with art craft finish; ornamented with billiken design, 50c value for.....25c

### Music Department

Special offer for Saturday—in the Basement.

#### Piano Solos

Alpine Storm.....35c

Bubbling Spring.....35c

Coronado.....35c

German Triumphal March.....35c

Meditation (Morrison).....19c

Consolation (Morrison).....19c

Melody of Love (Morrison).....19c

Berceuse (cradle song), from Jocelyn.....19c

Japanese Nightingale.....19c

#### Piano Duets

Jolly Blacksmith.....35c

American Girls.....35c

Heather Bells (polka).....35c

Neck and Neck (galop).....35c

Maple Leaf (rag).....19c

Ham And.....19c

Kyrene (intermezzo).....19c

Sensation (rag).....19c

#### Vocal

The Dream Pillow.....19c

Just Awaiting for You.....19c

I Love You Truly.....19c

Absent.....19c

Night and Day.....19c

Turn From the World to You.....19c

### Handy Tools

to have around the house. On sale in our Basement at these very low prices on Saturday.

Saws; Diamond Edge; skew back, Spring steel, taper ground, hand-filled, applewood handle; worth \$1.15; Saturday.....65c

Hammers; solid steel; adz eye, bell face, hickory handle; regular price 50c; sale price.....35c

Hatchets; extra cast steel; bronzed, polished bit; regular price 50c; Saturday.....35c

### Girls' and Misses' Spring Suits and Frocks

#### A DELIGHTFUL SHOWING

Misses' and Little Women's Stylish Rajah Suits; hipless and slightly fitted styles; gored skirts; colors are green, tan, rose and brown; sizes 14, 16 and 18 years; at.....\$25.00

Misses' Tailored Suits, two and three piece models, of plain or wale serges, Prunellas and Bedford cord; three-quarter length coats, lined with Peau de Cygne; all new Spring shades; prices \$30, \$27.50, \$25 and \$18.75

Reefers; dressy models of serge and Paca cloth, trimmed with braid and buttons; 4 to 14 years; prices \$8.75 and \$7.50

Children's Coats; plain and fancy; three-quarter and full length; hand-embroidered collars and cuffs; satin and braid-trimmed collar; in gray, navy, red, white and black stripe; sizes 4, 5 and 6 years; \$10, \$8.75, \$7.50, \$6.75 and \$4

Girls' Blouses of imported rep, madras, galateas; white, with navy, light blue and red collars; sizes 6 to 13 years; price.....\$2.50

One-Piece Dresses of plain chambray, madras and percales; high neck and long sleeve, also guimpe and jumper models; all colors; sizes 4 to 14 years; prices.....\$1.75 and \$1.25

Girls' Jumper Dresses of polka dot percales, trimmed with plain material to correspond; white with light blue, navy, pink and red dots; sizes 4 to 14 years; at.....\$2.25

Girls' One-Piece Dresses, high neck and long sleeve; made of checked and plain gingham; long waist and box-pleated skirts; good, serviceable school dresses; sizes 6 to 14 years; \$3.00

Pretty White Dresses of India linen and French lawns; square and high necks; embroidery and lace trimmed; tucked and plain skirts; deep hems; 6 to 14 years; at \$3.50, \$2.75 and \$1.75

Girls' Linen Dresses, one-piece, straight model; hand embroidered; three-quarter tucked sleeve, trimmed with pearl buttons; 6 to 14 years; price.....\$6.75

### Dutch Collars, Jabots and Drape Veils

A sample lot of Lace Collars and Berthas, in Plauen, Venice, Oriental and embroidered net, in cream and ecru; also Spangled and Jet Collars; worth up to \$2.50 each; choice Saturday for.....69c

Jabots of plain lace, with baby Irish medallions; worth 50c to 75c each; Saturday.....25c

Dutch Collars of Plauen lace, Venice and baby Irish designs; also lace yokes; 50c values; on sale, at.....25c

Dutch Collars of hand-embroidered linen, all white; worth 50c each; sale price.....25c

Drape Veils, in Tuxedo and Russian mesh, with border of fine lace; worth \$2.00 to \$3.00 each; special Saturday for.....\$1.00

### Candies

Orange Strings.....10c

Figolettes.....10c

French Mixed.....10c

Buttercrunch.....10c

Glacé Fruit Nuts.....10c

Burnt Peanuts.....10c

Maybell Chocolate-Covered Fudge; 60c grade; special, per lb.....35c

Affinity Candy; per lb.....30c

### Art Needlework

Main Floor.

Dutch Collars—Stamped in all the best quality of linen; each.....15c

Corset Covers—Stamped for French embroidery on the best quality of nainsook; each.....25c

Stamped Wallachian Center Pieces, 22x22 in a variety of designs; each.....25c

Saxony Wool—in all colors; price per skein.....5c

### Sporting Goods

25 Cartridges—Smokeless or black powder; worth 15c box; Saturday.....11c

Fish Lines—Slipless silk; most satisfactory casting line made; 20-lb. test; 50 yards; regular price \$1; sale price.....60c

Minnow Buckets—4 quart size; of good quality tin; outside bucket painted; regular price 60c; Saturday.....35c



## PREACHER SEES MORAL MENACE IN PROHIBITION

The Rev. M. H. Lichter Says It Will Retard Cause of Temperance.

### MORAL REFORM NEEDED

Of the 800 Members of the Merchants' Exchange, 734 Sign Protest.

A stand against prohibition was taken by the Rev. M. H. Lichter, pastor of the Maple Avenue M. E. Church, in an address on the subject of the church's relation to the laboring man, delivered at the First Congregational Church of Old Orchard to the St. Louis Association of Congregational Ministers and Churches Thursday night.

"I believe the church has lost its grip by insisting so much on prohibition and not at all providing for the social substitute for the saloon, which, in so many instances, is the workingman's club.

"The church has failed to recognize the inherent right of man to settle moral questions according to individual conscience. We cannot legislate them into being good. I regard prohibition

as a menace to the true cause of temperance and to morality.

**Moral Regeneration Essential.**

"The church must insist on the moral regeneration of the individual as the key to social betterment. Economic programs and political methods must be left to the experts.

"The supreme business of the church is the education of motive and character.

"Moral development is not revolutionary. It is a slow growth of education and inevitable.

Both the members and directors of the Merchants' Exchange have made formal protests against the adoption of the constitutional amendment resolutions and the protests have been communicated to Chairman Greene of the Senate Constitutional Amendments Committee.

**Protest Had 734 Names.**

The original members' protest, signed by 734 of the 800 members, was not sent, but a letter telling of it was mailed to Chairman Greene. The letter was signed by George J. Tansey, T. R. Ballard, Fred C. Orthwein, Marcus Bernheimer, Edward Devoy and Otto L. Teichmann. The signers said that if Chairman Greene desired to see the original document, they would go in person with it to Jefferson City.

The directors' protest was signed by Edward E. Scharff, Manning W. Cochran, N. L. Moffitt, Henry Greve, W. A. Miller, J. L. Wright, C. F. Sparks, Edward Devoy, R. W. Pommer, Henry C. Schultz and George H. Plant.

Resolutions opposing prohibition have been adopted by the Coopers' Union and the St. Louis and Missouri branches of the International Stewards' Association. Both resolutions say that the business of the organizations taking the action would be seriously crippled. Prohibition would throw 300 coopers and their helpers out of employment, the union's resolution says.

The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives or publishes news gathered by the Associated Press.

## CASTRO WOULD RAISE ARMY TO ATTACK ENEMIES

Deposed President Tells Fellow Passengers of Plans Frustrated by Banishment.

### STOPS AT ST. NAZAIRE

Venezuelan Tells Correspondents He Considers Himself a Prisoner of War.

ST. NAZAIRE, April 23.—The steamship Versailles with Cipriano Castro, the deposed President of Venezuela aboard, arrived here at daylight. An intimate friend of Castro and a number of Venezuelans and journalists boarded the vessel as soon as possible.

Before Senor Castro left his cabin he sent for a newspaper correspondent and sitting up in bed with a night cap on his head, delivered a long and rambling harangue. His remarks were directed principally against the United States for "playing into the hands of his enemies in Venezuela and sending warships to follow his movements."

He declared Venezuela was lost if the people submitted like slaves to foreign meddling.

Referring to France, Castro said he was astonished that a country which had shed torrents of blood in the cause of liberty should join in the cabal against him. He then declared the motion of the ship had reopened the wound of the operation performed at Berlin, that his condition was extremely serious and that he must have immediate medical attention.

**Calls Himself Prisoner.**

When asked regarding his future plans, the deposed President said he had made none, as he considered himself a prisoner of war. When informed that the French Government gave him full liberty, he replied:

"But I am not free if I desire to return to Port de France and cannot. France should respect the rights of man proclaimed a century ago."

In spite of his assertion that he did not know what he was going to do, it later became clear that Castro had planned to go to Paris. His baggage was taken ashore and placed on a train and he left at once for the capital.

Passengers on the Versailles said that when Castro was brought on board the steamer at Port de France he declared that if he had been allowed to make his way to Venezuela he would soon have raised an army to overthrow his enemies.

## POLICEMAN HAS A LAWYER TAKEN ON BRIBE CHARGE

Negro Accuses Charles B. Trimmer of Offering Money in Behalf of Client.

### LAYS TRAP IN SALOON

Takes \$25 and Then Summons Chief Smith, Who Takes Attorney to Cell.

Charles B. Trimmer of 1801 Texas avenue, a lawyer, is locked up at Police Headquarters, being held for the Circuit Attorney. The police allege that Trimmer sought to bribe a negro detective in an effort to induce him to "be easy" on a client who is said to have tried to get a witness in a perjury case to leave the city.

Trimmer was arrested Thursday afternoon in a saloon at 2600 Clark avenue by Chief of Detectives Smith and Detectives Murphy and Quinn. Trimmer was charged with offering money to a negro named John Jackson was arrested on a perjury charge. The chief witness against Jackson was Anna Williams, a negro. Louis Knufsky, a junk dealer, became interested in Jackson's case. He made Anna Williams his mistress, and offered money if she would leave the city.

**Sum of \$200 Mentioned.**

Detective Ira L. Cooper, who is a negro, and who arrested Jackson, swore out a warrant for Knufsky, who employed Trimmer to defend him.

Cooper alleges that Trimmer requested him to "be easy" on Knufsky, and hinted that there was money in it for him if he would not be too hard on the lawyer's client. The negro detective told Chief Smith that Trimmer had hinted at a sum of \$200, which would be split equally by himself and Cooper.

Thursday afternoon Trimmer was said to have called on Cooper on the telephone. Trimmer is a slim man. Cooper says a conversation substantially as follows took place:

"Hello, Cooper; this is Slim. I want to see you about that case."

"Yes? Where shall we meet?"

"Dick Kent's saloon, 3 o'clock."

Cooper reported the progress of events to Chief Smith, who sent for Knufsky and laid the matter before him. Knufsky consented to aid the detectives by giving his lawyer \$50 in marked bills.

The meeting place was changed to the saloon at 2600 Clark avenue. Chief Smith, with Murphy and Quinn, waited outside, while Cooper went inside to meet Trimmer.

**"Better Than House Delegates."**

In a short time Cooper emerged, exhibiting the money in his hand. That was the signal agreed upon. The three detectives entered the saloon and arrested Trimmer.

Cooper said that Trimmer told him Knufsky had given him only \$50. In handing \$25 to Cooper, the lawyer is alleged to have said:

"This is fine, easy money. It's better than being in the House of Delegates."

Trimmer appeared to be much perturbed over his arrest. He refused to discuss it further than to say at the holdover:

"I'll get even with somebody for this."

When asked to give his address the lawyer said he lived in the Planters Hotel bathroom.

Trimmer was employed in one case, the Ice Trust prosecution, as assistant to former Circuit Attorney Sager.

## DENEEN SAYS HE'S ACCUSED OF INHERITING TRAITS OF INDIAN

Illinois Governor at His State's Society Banquet Refers to Political Fights.

### LAYS TRAP IN SALOON

Takes \$25 and Then Summons Chief Smith, Who Takes Attorney to Cell.

A humorous reference to the political fights that have occupied his attention of late was made by Gov. Charles S. Deneen of Illinois in a speech delivered at the St. Louis Illinois Society at the Planters Hotel Thursday night. The Governor said:

"My grandfather went to Illinois in 1812, when there were but few whites and many Indians. This has led some of my enemies to declare that I inherit some of the qualities of both races."

The Governor gave a glowing account of the resources of Illinois and spoke for more canals and improved natural waterways. He was welcomed to Missouri by John E. Swanger, former Secretary of State, and to St. Louis by Mayor Kreismann. Judge Withrow acted as toastmaster and former Lieutenant-Governor Charles P. Johnson, historian of the society, spoke.

Miss Agnes Mace of Belleville, an Illinois pioneer, attended the banquet as the guest of her grandfather, Dr. R. H. Mace of St. Louis. It was the ninth annual banquet of the society and more than 100 guests attended.

**Builds Scaffold, Hangs Self.**

DICKSON, Tenn., April 23.—William Pendergrass, a farmer, 55, residing on Turkey Creek, ended his life by hanging himself from an improvised scaffold on his premises.

## SCARES NEGRO FROM BUSINESS

Note Under His New Store Door Warns of Dynamite.

### LAYS TRAP IN SALOON

Takes \$25 and Then Summons Chief Smith, Who Takes Attorney to Cell.

COLUMBUS, Ind., April 23.—Richard Sanford sold a small general store between this city and East Columbus to Frank Curry, a negro, who had come from Dupont, Ind. The next night after Curry took charge of the store a note was slipped under his door which warned him to get out of business at once.

The writer of the note said the store would be blown up with dynamite. Curry wished to stay, but his wife became so frightened that she persuaded him to sell the place, and Sanford took it off his hands. Curry consulted the authorities with a view to prosecuting the writer of the note.

## EXPLAINS TO THIN LADIES

A Simple But Sure Method of Developing a Well-Rounded Bust and Figure.

### LAYS TRAP IN SALOON

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Get separately two ounces glycerine three ounces of rosewater, one ounce tincture cadomene compound (not cadomene), and five cents' worth of borax. Mix the glycerine with tincture cadomene, shake and let stand two hours; then add a teaspoonful of borax and the rosewater. Apply to the parts needing development morning and night, rubbing until thoroughly absorbed; then wash off with hot water and soap and dry.

It is believed by expert dermatologists to be the most effective prescription ever conceived for the purpose.

## These Big Specials for Saturday

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**\$3.50 Gloves, \$1.00**  
Guaranteed genuine Buckskin velvet finish; used by all professional players; a positive \$3.50 value while \$1.00. \$3.50 Cat's Paw Mitt, genuine rawhide, \$1.00.

**\$3.50 Hat, prominent brand; guaranteed straight grain; \$1.00.**  
\$3.50 Bull Penant Brand; used by all leagues; \$1.00.  
Great Bear, Bull or Mitt \$2.00. 50c. 20c. some as low as 15c.  
All kinds of shoes in \$4 price. Silewale and Rink Roller Skates at lowest prices.

**\$30.00 Trunks, \$12.75**  
Trunks are exactly like cut in sizes 38 to 44 inches; with heavy straps all around; \$12.75.  
\$10.00 Trunk 38 to 44 inches; all around; extra deep, double strap; \$4.99.  
\$9.00 Cowhide Suit Case; size 28 to 32 inches; lined; 4 inside straps; \$3.99.  
\$6.00 Suit Case; size 28 to 32 inches; 4 inside straps; \$1.49.

## \$4 Boys' Knickerbocker Suits, \$1.98

Boys' Suits, of splendid wearing materials, in this Spring's newest colors, in olives, tans, grays, etc.; some with two pair pants. They are tailored correctly and are modeled the same as the men's suits and will please the boy; the prices for tomorrow should please you.

**\$1.98**

**\$5.00 Boys' Spring Suits**  
At this price we offer a splendid assortment of Boys' Suits, in all-wool worsteds and cassimeres, in nobly striped and checked; fancy cuffs and pocket flaps; suits that sell usually for \$5.00; Saturday, at half price.

**\$2.49**

**\$25 U. S. Springfield Rifle**  
We are again prepared to fill your orders on this splendid Rifle, complete, in best condition; tomorrow.

**\$1.95**

Mail Orders filled.

**Free--Ball and Bat--Free**  
A splendid 50c Ball and Bat FREE with each Boys' Suit of \$2.98 or over. Your choice of either Ball or Bat with \$1.98 Suit or over.

Second Floor only.

**\$2.00 and \$3.00 Men's Pants**  
You will be surprised at the values contained in these Pants; good wear-resisting materials; made with side buckle and belt straps; patterns are all neat and good; all sizes, 32 to 42; tomorrow, for only.

**98c**

**\$10.00 Men's Suits**  
These splendidly made suits of all-wool materials at less than maker's cost, merit your consideration. Come in desirable patterns; all new, up-to-date goods, and are well tailored. Made to hold their shape. \$10.00 value; tomorrow.

**\$5.00**

**25c Boys' Pants**  
3 to 4 O'Clock. Odds and ends of Boys' 15c Pants; all good patterns; special for one hour.

**5c**

Second Floor.

**\$25 Silk Dresses**  
Dainty Princess Dresses of good grade taffeta silk; made with the new panel front; hand-embroidered; some in jumper effect; they come in all the latest shades, including party and evening. \$7.95.

**\$5.00 Skirts**  
For one hour only from 7 to 8 p. m. We will place on sale beautiful Voile Skirts; this season's authentic Spring models; neatly trimmed in wide and narrow folds of silk and buttons; for one hour only; a bargain.

**\$1.45**

**Embroidery Flouncing**  
Corset Covering and Flouncing. Embroideries in Swiss, cambric and nainsook; 27 inches wide; in open and drawn work; while 200 yards last; Saturday night.

**19c**

Main Floor—Aisle 3.

**25c Veiling**  
A special lot of fine new Veiling, in plain black, fancy and dotted; all this Spring's latest shades; our regular \$2.50 value; for Saturday special only, per yard.

**10c**

Main Floor—Aisle 3.

**35c New Smyrna Silks**  
1000 yards 30-inch wide new Smyrna Silk in all the latest shades and black; just the thing for evening wear and party dresses; Saturday from 7 to 8 p. m., extra special, per yard.

**11c**

Main Floor—Aisle 3.

**\$1.25 Shantung Silk**  
500 yards of 33 inches wide genuine Shantungs; pure silk, adapted for street costumes and coats; standard \$1.25 value; Saturday, from 6 to 7 p. m., extra special, per yard.

**25c**

**25c Hair Nets**  
25c Allover Real Hair Nets 25c. Hair of Puffs, will match anybody's hair; 4 puffs to set; for Hair Goods Department—Main Floor—Aisle 6.

**10c**

**Men's 25c Four-in-Hands**  
10 to 11 A. M. 25c Ties, Wash Pies, also silk reversibles, in solid and fancy colors; be put on sale for 1 hour tomorrow.

**9c**

**Men's 50c Suspenders**  
60 dozen Police and Firemen's Suspenders, extra heavy weight; double back; heavy stitched leather ends; patent castor; 50c value; only.

**15c**

**\$1.50 Bed Spreads**  
A large lot of Bed Spreads, bought at such a low price as to allow us to give you a regular \$1 heavy crocheted, hemmed White Bed Spread, for our one-hour special, Saturday night.

**49c**

Main Floor—Aisle 3.

**\$2.00 Boys' Hats**  
10 to 11 SPECIAL. We will place on sale Saturday a lot of Boys' Telescopes in the newest Spring shades; all sizes; for one hour only.

**75c**

Main Floor—Aisle 7.

**75c Sample Gloves**  
1 large sample lot of long Silk Lisle and 2-clasp Silk Gloves, with double tip; ladies', misses' and children's; Saturday, at.

**39c**

**\$2.50 Ladies' Oxfords**  
As a special we will offer 250 pairs of Ladies' Oxfords, in viter kid, patent leather and tan; all good makes and sizes; regular \$2.50 Shoes; only.

**\$1.29**

**\$3.00 Children's Shoes**  
300 pairs of viter kid, patent leather, button and lace, all sizes; actual value from \$2.00 to \$3.00; Saturday for two hours only from 8 to 10 a. m.; special.

**98c**

Main Floor—Aisle 1.

**\$3.00 Boys' Shoes**  
Only 49 pairs left of this hard-wearing, viter and patent leather Boys' shoe and Young Men's Shoes; best bargain ever offered; Saturday.

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## MODEL HOUSEWIFE ROBBERS' LEADER

Gang in German Town Long Uncaptured Because Police Failed to "Look for the Woman."

BERLIN, April 23.—The town of Nixdorf was treated to a surprise when the police found the leader of a gang of robbers which had been terrorizing the town. The Germans, unlike the French, do not immediately "look for the woman" and so they were a long time in discovering that Mrs. Anna Pfeil, who had been considered a model housewife by her neighbors, was the gang's leader.

She was known to spend much time shopping, and now it is known why she went from store to store, day after day. This was part of her business. She would look around a store and tell her gang how to break into it and get the most out of it.

Before the robbers came under her leadership they used to break into factories. But she planned for them robberies in jewelry stores, where "work" was "profitable." For the past few months these robberies had been occurring regularly. A few days ago a man was captured and through him the entire gang has been caught.

## HE WILLS BODY TO MEDICAL COLLEGE

Wants His Remains Studied to Help Increase Knowledge of Heart Disease.

BERKELEY, Cal., April 23.—Samuel Seash, a man who died of heart trouble at 1743 Lincoln, has bequeathed his body to the Oakland College of Physicians and Surgeons in the interest of science. A few hours before his death Seash penned a note to the college, explaining that he desired his remains to be studied with a view to increasing the students' knowledge of heart diseases. This epistle he gave for delivery to his son, George E. Seash, at whose home he died, and with whom he had entered into a solemn pact for the bequest of his remains.

Shortly after making this pledge Seash felt himself near death, and wrote the note as his own seal of approval on the agreement. The body was taken to the college at Thirty-sixth and Grove streets.

Seash was a native of Canada, 68 years of age. He left a widow and daughter, who live at Honolulu.

**Snell Will Case to Be Reopened.**

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., April 23.—Papers were filed in the office of the Circuit Clerk of De Witt County today, making known the infant child of Harry Snell, a party defendant to the suit in which Richard Snell is seeking to set aside the will of his father, the late Thomas Snell. This will case will be tried in the May term.

**Umbrella Advertiser, 116 Lost It.**

CONWAY, Ark., April 23.—Joseph Segler, deputy postmaster, declares that he will never again advertise that he has found an umbrella. He found one in the postoffice a few mornings ago, and put an ad to that effect in a daily paper. Just 116 persons called for the umbrella.

## MARATHON RACE KILLS GIANT BOY

Youth of Remarkable Physique Contracts Cold and Dies of Pneumonia.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 23.—William H. Howick, a 17-year-old Marathon runner, died at the home of his father, R. Howick, a real estate man. Howick measured 6 feet 11 inches in his stocking feet and was built in proportion. He had been somewhat of a short distance runner during the last two years, and when the East End business men gave a Marathon race the young man entered and ran a good, though losing, race.

He did not finish, and when he stopped was weak and did not take proper care of himself. He contracted a cold which developed into pneumonia and caused his death.

In the MAY

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EDITED BY M. A. DE WOLFE HOWE

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The English public school, known to all readers of "Tom Brown," is much the same today, and Mr. Tomlinson, in his description of Eton, Rugby, Harrow, and Winchester, succeeds most happily in pointing out its characteristics and wherein it differs from anything in America.

**SOCIALISM A PHILOSOPHY OF FAILURE** BY PROF. J. LAURENCE LAUGHLIN

An admirably clear presentation of the strongest argument against Socialism.

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## FORMER CHIEF JUSTICE INDICTED AS EMBEZZLER

M. J. Gordon Accused of Defrauding Great Northern Railway Company.

## WAS ROAD'S ATTORNEY

Wrote Decision in Case After He Had Resigned From Supreme Bench.

SPOKANE, Wash., April 22.—Attorney M. J. Gordon, former Chief Justice of this state, who was indicted by the Spokane grand jury yesterday on a specific charge of embezzlement of \$2000 from the Great Northern Railway Co., resigned from the Supreme Court bench to become Spokane counsel for the railroad company and served in that capacity for several years.

He left the company last summer and went to Tacoma and soon thereafter rumors ran over the state that he had embezzled \$50,000 of the company's funds. The name of Judge Milo A. Root of the Supreme Court was linked with that of Gordon's in the rumors, which became so persistent that the Chief Justice openly brought the matter to the attention of the State Bar Association and asked for an investigation.

**Wrote Decision for Judge.**  
A committee of the Bar Association after an extended inquiry, submitted a report finding that Gordon, as attorney for the Great Northern, had written a decision in a case in which the company was a party, sent it to Chief Counsel Begg, at St. Paul, for approval and on its return from the head office passed it on to Judge Root, who offered it as his own opinion, and had it adopted as the decision of the court. Judge Root declared that his offense had been nothing more serious than "indiscretions of friendship," but resigned from the supreme bench.

The State Bar Association advised the convening of a grand jury in Spokane County for further investigation and Gordon's indictment was the first fruits of the grand jury's labors.

Prosecuting Attorney Fred Pugh has charged that high officials of the Great Northern are trying to shield Gordon, the presumption being that they fear a judicial searchlight. Prosecutor Pugh has further charged that the St. Paul officials of the railroad company have refused to honor subpoenas of the grand jury and has declared his purpose to compel President Louis W. Hill to appear here as a witness or make him a fugitive from this state.

## HAD TO LEAVE HOME

To go downtown and get a 14.50 spring suit for 9.50 in the Globe's sale tomorrow, 7th and Franklin av.

**Woman Check Operator Busy.**  
William Frotschmann of 1815 Cass avenue, cashed a bogus check for \$18, presented by a woman giving her name as Maude Hall. The description of the woman tallies with that of the one who defrauded several other tradespeople.

## SOMETHING WORTH KNOWING

And Knowing Is Believing

You Can't Have Dyspepsia and Take Kodol, Because It Digests All the Food You Eat.

Chronic dyspepsia is very hard to cure. Kodol will effectually assist in curing, and it is far more satisfactory to prevent this disease. Kodol prevents dyspepsia, by making the digestion good, and keeping it good. It is worth something to know this, if you have indigestion, and likely to have dyspepsia. Kodol prevents dyspepsia, and makes the digestion good, by digesting all the food you eat. A tablespoonful of Kodol will digest 2½ pounds of food. That is, a tablespoonful of Kodol will digest that quantity of any kind of food you may eat. Not only a single class of food—but all kinds of food, in any combination. You can't have dyspepsia, if you take Kodol now and then—because it is not possible for you to have dyspepsia, as long as your food digests properly—and Kodol digests the food you eat. Our guarantee—Get a dollar bottle of Kodol. If you are not benefited—the druggist will at once return your money. Don't hesitate; any druggist will sell you Kodol on these terms. The dollar bottle contains 2½ times as much as the 50¢ bottle. Kodol is prepared in the laboratories of E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago.

## HOUSE-CLEANING

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To insure a healthful home and prevent sickness, purify the cellar, closets, drains, dusty or damp corners, cracks—nooks behind plumbing every spot where disease germs develop with Platt's Chlorides. It is an odorless, colorless liquid disinfectant, which instantly destroys foul and disease-breeding matter. When diluted with ten parts of water household use, it costs less than 3¢ a quart. Sold everywhere in quart bottles. Prepared only by Henry Platt.

Booklet with valuable sanitary information regarding contagious and infectious diseases, will be mailed free writing to 43 Cliff street, New York.

## NOTED DOCTOR SUES HIS CHUM FOR ALIENATION

Begins Action Against Former Friend and Patient When Wife Leaves Home.

## PROTEGE OF MORGAN

J. Edward Stubbart, Complainant, Is Head of Sanitarium Financier Fosters.

By Wire from the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, April 23.—Dr. J. Edward Stubbart of 238 West Seventy-third street, a noted tuberculosis specialist, has begun an action in the Supreme Court against Maj. J. Otis Woodward, a man about town, with profitable manufacturing interests in the South, who commands the Albany Burgesses Corps, of which Richard Croker was recently acclaimed a member, to recover \$50,000 damages for the alienation of Mrs. Stubbart's affections.

Mrs. Stubbart is Dr. Stubbart's second wife. They were married shortly after the death of the first, and until then Dr. Stubbart and Maj. Woodward were total strangers. The wedding was in Jersey City, Sept. 28, 1904, and about two years later, "Woody," as he is familiarly known, and Dr. Stubbart became fast friends.

The Major was a patient of the physician at times and he became almost a member of the doctor's family. About eighteen months ago, Mrs. Stubbart left her husband, taking their 2-year-old daughter with her. She has not returned and Dr. Stubbart is ignorant of her whereabouts, except, as he said last night, that he believes she is living in New York.

**Sues for Divorc.**  
The physician, it developed yesterday, has also begun an action against his wife for an absolute divorce, naming Maj. Woodward in answer to this. Mrs. Stubbart has retaliated with a counter suit for a divorce, in which she names women whose names are not disclosed. Dr. Stubbart has replied with a denial of his wife's charges.

In his defense to the alienation suit, Maj. Woodward denies that he has been guilty of misconduct with Mrs. Stubbart. He says he has known her several years, and that though he admits taking her out frequently, he has always done so with the knowledge of Dr. Stubbart. One of the features of the various actions will be the testimony of several waiters, clerks and other employees of hotels throughout the city.

Dr. Stubbart was the first physician in this country to apply the Roentgen rays treatment to sufferers from tuberculosis. He was for several years head of the Loomis Sanitarium at Liberty, N. Y., a favorite philanthropic institution of J. P. Morgan's. When Mr. Morgan bought the Liberty Electric Light and Power Co. for \$40,000 and presented the company's plant to the sanitarium, he made Dr. Stubbart president of the corporation.

## FESTUS J. WADE'S "HIGH FINANCE" TAKES HIM TO JEFFERSON CITY CHEAPLY

He Sublets \$3 Stateroom in Sleeping Car to John D. Davis for \$6.

Festus J. Wade is out only \$1.96 on his trip to Jefferson City to argue against prohibition. Aside from meals, which they would have had to have anywhere, the 42 other members of the bankers' party had to pay \$4.96 each for their railroad tickets. So did Mr. Wade, but he made \$3 of it back. How he made it is a story his admiring colleagues have been telling since the party returned.

He was the first man to discover the stateroom in the sleeper of the Jefferson City train Wednesday morning. He had just settled down for a comfortable smoke when John D. Davis and some friends came along.

"Say, Wade," said Mr. Davis, "would you mind letting us have this room? We want to play bridge."

"What?" exclaimed Wade. "Give you this room! Well, I should say not. Aren't you aware this room costs \$6?"

"Well, well, that will be all right," said Davis. "Come now, be a good fellow."

"I will, for \$6," Wade answered.

Davis handed over a five and a one and Wade yielded possession just as the conductor appeared to collect extra fares.

"How much for this room?" Wade asked the conductor.

"Three dollars," said the conductor.

"Take it out of that," said Wade, handing him the \$5 bill. The conductor handed back a two, and Wade tucked it in his pocket, with the \$1 Davis had given him, then strolled ahead to the smoker, while the new tenant of the stateroom wore a where-do-I-get-off look.

## CANDY FOR WOMEN PASSENGERS

Monon Railroad Makes Bid for Feminine Travelers.

CHICAGO, April 23.—The Monon Railroad, Chicago, Louisville & New Albany, as an additional attraction to travelers, has announced that hereafter in its dining car service a box of candy will be given to each woman. The action may serve to offset the attractions of the Pennsylvania road, which serves coffee and tea free to its Pullman passengers.

"Women are not all tea or coffee drinkers, but I have yet to hear of one who will refuse candy," says E. P. Cockrell, passenger agent.



**HOW** would you like to have a suit fit you exactly like this, without paying more than \$16.50 for it? You can do it. We can and will make this dream come true for you. Simply tell us you want an "Edgemere" suit at \$16.50. Choice of 24 styles including this one. Blues, grays, greens, browns, blacks, mixtures: chevots, serges; worsteds or velours.

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ON LOCUST STREET AT SIXTH

**T**HERE is a big distinction between country clothes and city clothes. The former are turned out in enormous quantities by enormous clothing factories and some of them are pretty fair. The city clothes are produced by quite another set of wholesale tailors. They cater to the best city clientele and make no attempt to strike an average between city and country tastes. The old saying, "Jack of all trades, master of none," is applicable here. If you want city clothes, you must buy them in a store that carries only the cream of the best goods made by the masters—not by the Jacks. You can buy country clothes in this city, but none in this store.

**T**HERE is nothing in the history of the retail clothing trade to match the beautiful success we are enjoying with our two special and popularly priced lines of men's and young men's clothing known as the "Edgemere" and the "Lennox." Set aside all the things you have been taught about values. Ignore our low prices. Keep before you the fact that the makers of these clothes had to sacrifice half their usual profits in order to produce such supremely good tailoring and yet meet our price requirements; and that we ourselves had to omit half our profits in order to get our retail price down. The only way the maker can make good—the only way we can make good—is to sell twice as many as we did on our former basis of profits. And we are doing it—that's the glorious part of the story—we are doing it. Edgemere suits are \$20 qualities. We ask \$16.50. Lennox suits are \$25 and \$28 qualities. We ask \$22.



## ARTIST'S COMICS SCARE BURGLAR, TAKES MEDICINE

Will Owens Says if Intruder  
Returns Cash He May Have  
Nuts Left in Top Hat.

Special Correspondence From London  
Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.  
LONDON, April 19.—If the burglar who broke into the house of Will Owens, the artist, at Richmond, and drank half a bottle of patent medicine, will return the loose cash he took, together with money from the children's money-box, he may be given the bag of brazil nuts and a knife which he left behind.  
"When the nurse came downstairs next morning," Mr. Owens said, "she found the cupboard open, a whiskey bottle on the chair, and a lot of silver strewn over the floor. 'I can't think what master was doing last night,' she observed dully, to the cook."  
"The burglar must have been disturbed, for he left everything but the cash. I imagine that he entered through the studio, and, struck with horror at my comic pictures, put his hand to his forehead and staggered into the dining-room. The shock of the drawings had unnerved him. He sought for stimulants, but being doubtless a teetotaler,

## CHILD WHO IS NEAR DEATH FROM ATTACK BY STRANGE MAN



HAZEL KUNTZ

he drank half a bottle of patent medicine.

Took His Pipe, Too.

"Then he cracked one brazil nut, and put the bar in my top-hat, intending to use that to carry away some of the 'nuts'."

"He took my little daughter's money from her money-box. It represented the savings of years," said Will Owens, with a sob in his voice. "Many a time I've tried to open it and failed. I can't think how he did it."

"Then he took a priceless cherry-wood pipe of mine, and started getting out

the family plate. I suppose we should have lost all if he had not been disturbed," Mr. Owens shuddered at the thought.

"The cook saw a man leave, but she thought it might have been the paper-man. She gave a description of him to the police, and it tallies so much with myself that I'm afraid to move out for fear of being arrested."

Nine Mules Die in Barn Blaze.  
HORSE SAVE, Ky., April 22.—The big stock barn of E. W. Myers was destroyed by fire, causing a loss of \$4000. Nine mules perished.

## ILL FROM ATTACK, CHILD CALLS FOR "RED HEADED BOY"

Hazel Kuntz, 9 Years Old,  
Asks in Delirium for One  
Who Found Her.

## MAN AND SON ARRESTED

Campers Are Held on Technical  
Vagrancy Charges  
in Clayton.

In her delirium Hazel Kuntz, 9 years old, pitifully calls for "the red-headed boy," who found her half-conscious on the bank of a creek and carried her to her home after she had been attacked by a man.

All efforts of the authorities to find the boy have been in vain. He ran away without giving his name.

Hazel Kuntz is still in a serious condition and she has been unable to describe the man who injured her. Most of the time she is unconscious. At intervals she has spasms. Dr. N. E. Mills of University City says she has a slight chance for recovery.

In a short period of consciousness after she had been carried to her home at 606 Crest avenue Saturday afternoon she said a man grabbed her as she was coming from the wood shed, that he choked her and carried her a quarter of a mile to the bank of a creek. She was found there six hours later with her clothing in shreds.

Elmer Clark, 47 years old, and his son, Frank, 16, are held in the Clayton Jail on technical charges of vagrancy. They deny knowledge of the attack on Hazel.

Clark and his son have been living in a tent half a mile from where the girl was found. The information on which they are held was furnished by Daniel Blair, 12 years old.

Saw Man With Girl.

Daniel and several other boys were playing in a pasture lot Saturday. He saw a man carrying Hazel toward the creek. He says that he thought nothing of this at the time. He says he knew that Hazel was a good singer and he thought the man was a relative or friend who was fishing in the creek and wanted the girl to sing for him.

After the girl had been carried home, her brother, Eddie, told Daniel Blair she had been found by a red-headed boy. Eddie and Daniel went out to look for this boy and they saw Elmer Clark near the tent in which he lives on the Olive street road. Daniel told Constable Bode that Clark was the man he had seen going to the creek with Hazel in his arms.

Angry citizens threatened violence to Clark and his son, but they were spirited away by Bode.

In one particular the elder Clark does not answer the description given by Daniel Blair. The boy says the man he saw had heavy hair over his forehead. Clark is bald.

Justice Stoble will try the Clarks for vagrancy next Tuesday.

## HE COULDN'T OVERLOOK IT.

An all-wool blue serge suit, men's or young men's, for 7.50 at the Globe, 7th and Franklin av. tomorrow. It's a 12.50 value.

## PRISONER TRIES TO ESCAPE BY GOING TO BALL AS WOMAN

Deserter, Serving Sentence on Island, Sits Among Wall Flowers Waiting for Launch.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 22.—A novel attempt at escape from the military prison has just been reported at Alcatraz, a small island in San Francisco Bay. The island is devoted entirely to the incarceration of army convicts and as life is irksome for the members of the guard, occasional dances are given, to which the belles of cities bordering on the bay are invited.

Tuesday night one of these affairs was in progress when the alarm was sounded indicating that a prisoner was missing. He was discovered hidden in a locker, dressed from head to foot in woman's garb.

The toilet was complete, even to a large hat of the latest style. The prisoner, Henry Gallagher, who is serving two and a half years for desertion from the coast artillery at Fort Barry, had been noticed sitting among the "wall flowers" in a secluded corner earlier in the evening. How Gallagher obtained his feminine apparel is a mystery to the authorities.

It is supposed that his plan to escape included a quiet liberty on one of the launches which were to carry the guests back to the city.

## "Look for Our Ad"

In this issue, look at our goods Saturday. Open until 9:30 p. m. Lottis Bros., 30 Carleton Bldg., 6th and Olive sts. Diamonds and Watches on credit. J. P. Dailley, Manager.

## PORTER'S TIPS, \$60 A MONTH

Pullman Employee's Wife Let the Secret Out.

CHICAGO, April 22.—Mrs. Pearl Reeves, suing Pullman sleeping car porter for divorce, has disclosed the great mystery of how much a porter makes.

In her application for alimony she alleges her husband gets \$25 a month salary, \$60 a month in tips and \$60 a month for working overtime.

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## PASTOR DECLARES THE HEAT, NOT LOVE, MADE HIM RAMBLE

Rev. R. W. Lessing Attributes His  
Mysterious Disappearance to  
a Mental Disturbance.

The Rev. Robert W. Lessing, pastor of the Presbyterian churches at Mosele and Pacific, told a Post-Dispatch reporter Friday that he had not decided when he would return to Mosele, whence he disappeared mysteriously a week ago. He is now at the home of the Rev. Jerrie Johnson, 343 Winnebago street, and will remain there several days, he says.

Pastor Lessing denied the report, published in a St. Louis paper during his absence, that an unhappy love affair had caused his sudden departure from the field of his pastorate.

"There is no truth in any report that

I am interested in any woman," said the young minister. "As to that, I am bomb-proof."

On his return from Des Arc, Mo., where he was found by the local Presbyterian minister, Lessing said that certain worries, the nature of which he declined to describe, had preyed on his mind. He became overworked, he said, in walking from Mosele to the banks of the Meramec to study the Bible, and wandered unaccountably to Rogersville, then took a train to St. Louis and went thence to Southeast Missouri. For several days, he said, his mind was not clear.

Rain Delays Farmers Three Weeks.

PRENTISS, Miss., April 22.—The farmers in this section are two or three weeks late. It has rained here in stretches as long as forty-eight hours. Very little cotton has been planted and not more than one-half the land has been broken.

## MORE SALVATION ARMY MEN WILLING TO GO TO JAIL

One Already Imprisoned in South  
Bend Is Holding Services  
for Prisoners.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., April 22.—"We'll fill the South Bend Jail with Salvation Army officers," declared Maj. William Escott, division manager of the Salvation Army, who arrived here today to take charge of the campaign against the police rule that the army shall not hold meetings on business corners. "Every officer in the country will volunteer to go to jail here, just as Capt. Brooke has done."

Capt. Brooke, who was sentenced to jail a few days ago, and whose wife and children, against their protest, are free

under suspended sentence, continue to hold religious meetings with the other prisoners and says his imprisonment is of good effect.

## This Cures Tobacco Habit

The following formula cures the tobacco habit in any form so that it makes you wonder how you ever enjoyed it. Take this formula: Wolff-Wilson's drug store and ask for Wolff-Wilson's Compound No. 2344. It should cost about 90c or \$1.00, including postage. Formula: P. E. Pulsatilla, 5% gr.; P. E. Valerian, 43 gr.; P. E. Gelsemium, 5% gr.; P. E. Gentian, 20 gr.; Fowl, Golden Seal, 40 gr.; Mathyl Salicylate, 31 min.; Marshmall, 2-5 gr.; Gluside, 31-50 gr.; Adhesive and base, q. s. Take as directed. This formula has over 3000 cures to its credit. It changes the taste for tobacco completely.

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This is one of the greatest clothing selling campaigns ever inaugurated. It embraces 500 fine Suits of ultra-fashionable style. They are creating astonishment among those who see them. Our aim is to do something special, and we are doing it.

## How Are You Fixed With Spring Underwear, Shirts, Vests, Hosiery, Etc.?

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We take pleasure in calling your attention to this great special Shirt offering. The Shirts are here in a great wealth of coloring and smart patterns.

We always sell 25c Boston Garters for.....17c

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This is how we make them:

The whole wheat or rice kernels are put into sealed guns. Then the guns are revolved for sixty minutes, in a heat of 550 degrees.

That heat turns the moisture in the grain to steam, and the pressure becomes terrific.

Then the guns are unsealed. Instantly every starch granule is blasted into a myriad particles. The kernels of grain are expanded eight times—made four times as porous as bread. Yet the coats are unbroken, the shapes are unaltered.

The result is this magnified grain, delicious and crisp — so porous that it melts in the mouth.

## Prof. Anderson's Invention

These are the foods invented by Prof. Anderson, formerly of Columbia University.

He was seeking a way to break up starch granules so the digestive juices could get to them. The old ways of cooking, baking and toasting only began to do this.

So he conceived the idea of exploding the moisture that lies in the granules, to literally blast them to pieces.

Thus he created a food on which digestion acts instantly. Never was cereal food, by any process, made even half so digestible.

But he also created, to his surprise, the most enticing cereal foods in existence.

## The Lunch Room Test

We make all sorts of cereals, as most people know. So we are entirely unbiased. We care little which food is the favorite, but we want to know which one is.

So we maintain in New York, a lunch room where hundreds of people lunch daily. There we serve all cereals, at one uniform price, and let people choose what they like best.

Once the favorite ready-cooked cereal was wheat flakes. Then it was corn flakes. Now the favorites, five to one, are the foods shot from guns.

These are the latest figures: Out of each 1,000 who take ready-cooked cereals, these are the chosen foods:

560 take Puffed Wheat  
187 take Puffed Rice  
159 take Corn Flakes  
94 take Breakfast Biscuits

Thus we know that three-fourths of all people like Puffed Wheat and Puffed Rice best. So we advertise them so that all people may know them, and all get the foods that they like.

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## TIME RULE BILL HADLEY BACKED TO BE CHANGED

Senate Plans Amendments  
That Will Probably Kill  
the Measure.

From a Staff Correspondent of the  
Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, April 23.—The Democratic majority in the Senate has decided to rewrite the time rule, police and excise bills for St. Louis and Kansas City, with the expectation that after changes have been made that will make it unlikely that the Governor will sign the bills, the Senate will pass them.

A committee composed of Senators Oliver, Anthony and Mayor, has been appointed to draft the substitute bills. It is proposed to deprive the Governor of the power to remove the police or excise officials appointed by the Mayor. Another Senate plan is to take out of the bill a paragraph that would defer the taking effect of the new law until July 1, 1910, which means a few days more than ten months later than it would take effect under ordinary circumstances.

Decision Not Unanimous.  
Not all of the Democrats favor the amendment to relieve the Governor of jurisdiction, but in the caucus last night those who advocated the changes were in the majority.

Senator Greene of Jackson said the bill as it came from the House and was drawn by the Governor was the most scientifically drawn bill before the Legislature.

Senator Bradley said: "Give the Governor the bill he wants. If you don't the people will say that we tried to load the bill so that saloons could run open in the cities on Sundays."

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St. Louis, Mo.

## LETTER CALLS ST. LOUIS MEN LIQUOR AGENTS

Senator McAllister Denounces  
"Dry" Circular, Believing  
It Will Be Boomerang.

BANKERS ARE OMITTED

Judge Wallace of Kansas City  
Phones for Hearing Which  
Will Be Granted.

From a Staff Correspondent of the  
Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, April 23.—Senator Greene, chairman of the Senate Committee on Constitutional Amendments, has received telephone messages from Judge William H. Wallace and the Rev. Albert Bushnell of Kansas City asking that they be heard on the question of prohibition before the committee makes its report to the Senate.

Greene replied that he would set a hearing for them next week, probably Monday or Tuesday evening. The regular meeting night of the committee is Wednesday, and the committee will probably not reach a conclusion until then, as the disposition of the Senate seems to be to take plenty of time.

Senator McAllister (Dem.) of Monroe County denounces a circular letter from the "drys," which seeks to identify with the liquor interest members of the St. Louis delegation who came here Wednesday to urge the defeat of the prohibition resolution. The communication included among the visiting St. Louisans the owner of St. Louis breweries and distilleries. It referred, among others, to Robert Brookings as a "director in the St. Louis Union Trust Co. and the proprietor of a restaurant at 717 North Sixteenth street," and designated James Wilson, president of the Washington National Bank, as a "bartender."

John H. McCune, president of the State National Bank, was classed as a broker, "the inference being that his firm traded in brewery securities. The names of William H. Lee, Festus J. Wade, Charles H. Huttig, Walker Hill and other St. Louis financial and commercial representatives were carefully omitted.

"That document, which I understand was placed in the hands of every Senator, is an infamous misrepresentation," said Senator McAllister.

Thinks "Drys" Would Stay at Home.  
"If the friends of prohibition are going to resort to these kind of tactics, I think they would better stay at home."

"My information is that not a single brewery representative was in the St. Louis delegation which addressed our committee. The whole purpose of that circular was to create the impression that the men who left their business in St. Louis to ask this committee not to submit a proposition which would drive \$100,000,000 in capital from the State are the agents of the brewing industry."

"However, I do not think the document deceived anybody. Its chief effect, if it has any, will be to injure the 'dry' cause."

**HUSBAND ARRESTED, HAD  
ACID TO KILL FAMILY OF 6**

Thomas Floyd Said He Pawned  
Watch to Purchase the  
Poison.

When Thomas Floyd, who lives at 2031 Franklin avenue, with his wife and four small children, was taken to the Carr Street Police Station, on complaint of his wife late Thursday afternoon, a search of his pockets brought to light a two-ounce bottle of carbolic acid and a pawn ticket for his watch.

"I put up the watch to get money to buy the acid," he said. "I was going to kill myself and the whole family." Mrs. Floyd caused her husband's arrest when she heard that he had told Mrs. Williams, who rooms with them, that he was going to pawn his watch, buy a revolver and kill himself and his wife.

Mrs. Floyd aids in supporting her family by working in a bakery. He became angry because she would not give him money, she told the police.

**JUST OUT OF JAIL, ARRESTED  
SAME PLACE, SAME POLICEMAN**  
"Is That You, Mr. Powers?" Negro  
Asks When Taken for Burglary  
by Familiar Patrolman.

CHICAGO, April 23.—Jerry Marshall, colored, released yesterday from the Bridewell, where he had served a year for robbery, has been arrested on a charge of burglary within 50 feet of the scene of his former capture and by the same policeman who first took him into custody.

Policeman Powers was passing the place and saw the negro breaking in. "Come out here, I want to see you," shouted Powers, drawing his revolver. "Is that you, Mr. Powers?" asked the intruder.

"Yes, it's me," replied Powers, as he placed the negro under arrest. The latter declares he broke into the place to get food and will keep clear of Powers' beat in the future.

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## GERHART TALKS ON FREE BRIDGE TO ILLINOISANS

He Traveled to Springfield to  
Argue for Appropriation  
by the State.

FOUND LOBBY THERE

Attorneys for the Terminal  
Association Argue Against  
the Measure.

Frank H. Gerhart, free bridge cham-  
pion and chain-lighting orator on the  
Terminal monopoly, has returned in a  
glow of indignation from Springfield,  
Ill., where he went to speak before the  
Appropriation Committee of the Illinois  
House of Representatives on House bill  
268, which provides for the appropri-  
ation of \$300,000 by the State for the  
acquisition of land for a bridge across  
the Illinois side.

"It seems very strange to me," said Gerhart, "that no official of St. Louis would go to Springfield and advocate the passage of a bill that contemplated the appropriation of \$300,000 for our free bridge, but that it was left to a private citizen to make the journey at his own expense."

"Wednesday morning I received a letter from Representative C. A. White of O'Fallon, asking me to go to Springfield to explain the work being done for the free bridge and why it was necessary for the State of Illinois to do its share."

**Terminal Lobby There.**  
"It is a good bill and should pass and I told Mr. White I would go. The Committee on Appropriations was to close the hearing Wednesday and I caught a car across the bridge and another on the East Side and arrived in Springfield at 4 o'clock. Ten minutes later I was before the committee and was speaking."

"I found that the Terminal Association had a strong lobby before the committee trying to knock the bill out. The opposition to the bill was represented by Cramer & Cramer, attorneys for the Terminal. The fight the Terminal was making was from behind some small tradesmen of East St. Louis, who were represented as fearing that the free bridge would kill their business and take their trade across the river into St. Louis."

"I told them that if they feared this the only way to stop it was to dynamite the Eads Bridge, scuttle the ferries and make it a crime punishable by death for a native of East St. Louis to cross the river into St. Louis. If they wanted to come to St. Louis to trade the free bridge would make it no easier for them, for they would have to pay 5 cents anyway if they rode across the free bridge on a street car."

**Questions by Committee.**  
"East St. Louis was at the meeting with a sledge hammer. Representative Flannigan of East St. Louis sat at the ear of Representative Shanigan, chairman, and often suggested questions to put to me."

"How do you expect that any of the railroads in the combine will use the free bridge?" asked the chairman. "Now you are asking a thorough Terminal question," I replied. "My answer is that any tidewater road on the mileage basis that uses the Free Bridge will put the others out of business. Here are some railroads that are not members of the Terminal oligarchy that will use the bridge: the Chicago & Eastern Illinois, the Clover Leaf, which owns the Chicago & Alton, and the Iowa Central, the St. Louis & Troy and the Chicago, Peoria & St. Louis. These are all big coal roads. Also, none of the electric lines is tied up to the Terminal."

**Mayor Cook for the Bill.**  
"I was asked how much Missouri had offered to pay of the expense of the Free Bridge, and I reminded the committee that Missouri is facing a heavy deficit and that the great city of St. Louis had not asked the State to spend a cent on the Free Bridge. But I reminded them that it was East St. Louis that was gravitating toward St. Louis, and not St. Louis to the East Side."

"I don't know how the committee will report the bill. It should be passed, but will not be if the Terminal Association succeeds through its lobby, its attorneys and by working on the fears of the representatives that the small merchants of East St. Louis will lose money. But Mayor Cook and other progressive men of East St. Louis see the benefit the bridge will be to East St. Louis, and Mayor Cook spoke for it before the committee."

**STUDENTS TO GIVE BENEFIT**

Operatic Performance Will Be for  
Teachers' Association.

Students of Mrs. Stella Kellogg Haines will give an operatic performance for the benefit of the Teachers' Benevolent Association, Saturday evening, at the Odeon. Among the boxholders are William K. Bixby, Dr. William Porter, Robert S. Brookings, attorney, Dr. C. G. Gross, C. L. Hammerstein, E. E. Strother, A. Johnson, Dr. James Stewart, T. F. Harrington, Miss S. A. McGuire, John W. Withers, William J. S. Bryan, Miss A. M. Merriman, E. Stamm, George P. Knox, G. C. Rathman and John Collins.

**One Notable Exception.**  
From the Boston Transcript.  
She: Do you suppose a man ever spoke the truth when he told a woman she was the only one he ever kissed?  
He: Well, I don't believe Adam lied about it to Eve.

**Special Announcement.**  
"Dollar Down Daily," formerly in Century Building, is now manager for Lettice Bros., 2200 N. 8th st. Diamonds and Watches on credit.

**Greased Boots With Ambergris.**  
From T. P.'s Weekly.  
Recently the British barque Antelope sailed from Newcastle, Australia, to San

Francisco. On the voyage, in latitude 20 degrees south, a great quantity of grease was seen floating on the surface of the ocean. A calm prevailed at the

time, and the sailors drew up many bucketsful. With this grease they anointed the masts, their sea boots and oilskins. They regarded their find as

ordinary grease and wasted it as such. As a matter of fact, the grease was ambergris, and the waste of material worth something like \$20,000.

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**YOU** are invited to come in any time and get acquainted with the man's store of St. Louis. We have sent out no special invitations because this store is for every man who wants dependable goods.

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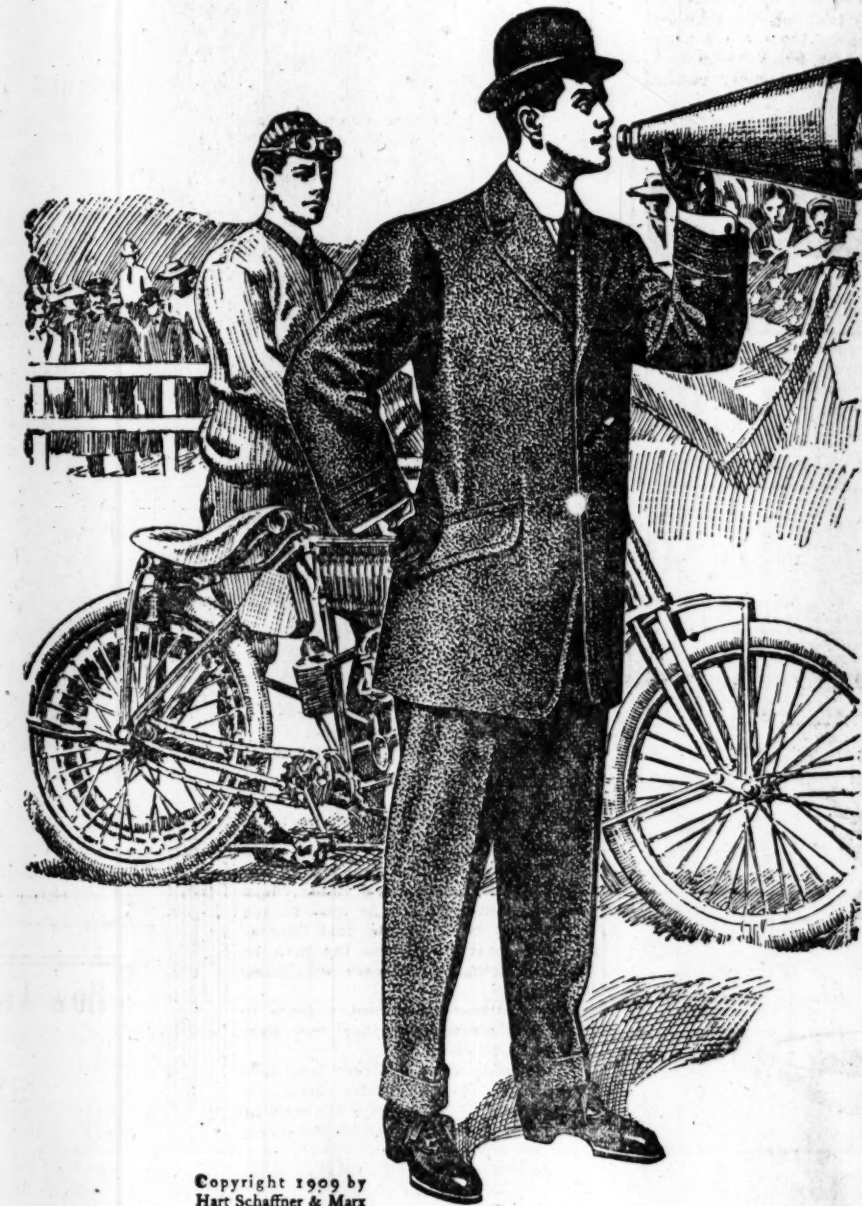
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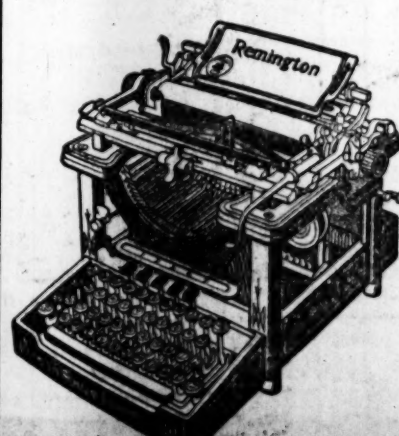
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# Our 38 Years of Faithful Service to the People

Have not gone unrewarded. We have succeeded, eminently so, which again strikingly proves that merit must win. The growth of our Clothing business stands without an equal. From a very modest beginning, we now have the largest Clothing Floor in the United States, which emphasizes the fact that better clothes & better values are always obtainable at Famous. The principles upon which this Business was founded, have been rigidly adhered to throughout these 38 long years, to give the best values possible at all times—to sell only such merchandise as is thoroughly dependable & meritorious—to seal each purchase with our positive guarantee that every article bought here must give full measure of satisfaction or "your money back if wanted."

When you choose your Spring Clothes here, you have the privilege of selecting from a stock two or three times as large as any other local store can show, a stock as complete & as diversified as you can find anywhere in America.



## Men's Spring Suits

If you select that new suit at FAMOUS, you can have every confidence that it is of sterling quality & worthiness—clothes that you can wear with every assurance that they will give lasting & pleasing service.

The stocks this season are much larger & better assorted than we have ever assembled. America's most talented makers built the meritorious clothes that now bear FAMOUS' label.

Every new & nobby fabric, pattern & color—all the correct models from the conservative to the most extreme style effects are represented in this rich showing. Clothes that are skillfully tailored, the minutest inner details having received as careful tailoring as the more conspicuous outer features—clothes that not only look right, but keep on looking right & wear right. Our underselling claims are strongly verified in the wondrous lines we are showing at

**\$14.50, \$20 & \$25**

### Men's Blue Serge Suits at \$11.00

A Blue Serge Suit is always in good taste, but you cannot always buy Suits as good as these at so modest a price—of strictly pure wool serges—absolutely fast color—serge lined—silk sewed—single or double-breasted coats—unusually well made—\$15.00 values—Saturday special for..... **11.00**

### Men's and Young Men's Raincoats

An indispensable garment when it storms & a stylish Spring Overcoat when the sun shines—they play a dual part. Made of genuine Priestley cravenetted dark worsteds—dark Oxford cloths—unusually well tailored & strikingly correct—coats of equal excellence cannot be matched in the city under \$20.00—Saturday special for..... **16.50**

### Men's and Young Men's Raincoats

If you want an inexpensive & practical coat, see these—made of genuine Priestley cravenetted dark worsteds—in four nobby styles—Venetian lined—coats that are very well made and will give particularly good service—coats as good will cost you fully \$15.00 elsewhere in the city—Saturday special..... **11.50**

### Silk Lined Top Coats

Coats that you will be proud to wear & own—decidedly nobby—built of covert cloths, fancy checks & homespun—in the plain shades or fancy mixtures—coats that are beautiful of style—suits for men & young men—you will find it impossible to equal them in the city under \$20.00—Saturday special for..... **14.50**



## Young Men's Suits

Clever young fellows, 14 to 20 years of age, who want classy clothes with all the new kinks that fashion has decreed as correct this Spring, will find suits exactly to their liking in the magnificent lines we are showing here.

Our Young Men's Section offers the widest latitude for choosing. This department is a separate & distinct section, occupying as much space & carrying as much stock as most stores devote to their entire men's, young men's & boys' departments.

This season's newest novelties are here in abundant variety. Prices range from \$6.00 to \$30.00. To emphasize the superiority of our values, we refer you to the handsome suits we are showing at

**\$12.50, \$18 & \$22.50**

### Young Men's Blue Serge Suits

140 came by express yesterday & will be ready for Saturday's selling—of strictly pure wool, fast color blue serge—wool serge lined—silk sewed—single or double-breasted coats—\$15.00 values—Saturday special for..... **11.00**

### Men's Spring Top Coats

Good looking & good wearing Coats—very moderately priced—of all-wool covert cloths—in the new olive shade—fancy herringbone weave Venetian lined—this Spring's newest models—suits for men & young men—you will have a hard time matching them in the city under \$12.50—Saturday special for..... **9.50**

### Famous Is Exclusive Representative in St. Louis

for Rogers, Peet & Co.'s New York Clothes

Apparel that in every way equals the most expensive tailored-to-order attire, minus the exorbitant prices. Rogers, Peet & Co.'s clothes are ready-for-service now—no tedious delays, no disappointments, no wondering how they will turn out. This Spring's smartest fabrics & patterns are here in complete variety. Inspect these handsome garments and let us point out their many meritorious features—

Rogers, Peet & Co.'s Spring Overcoats, \$20.00 to \$35.00

Rogers, Peet & Co.'s Spring Suits, \$20.00 to \$40.00



## FAMOUS' ARTISTIC CLOTHES FOR BOYS

Are constructed of the very best fabrics—in a range of patterns & colorings not to be seen elsewhere in this city. Clothes with all those new style touches—the kind of clothes that the most active youngsters will find very hard to wear out. FAMOUS' boys' clothes are Good Clothes in every sense of the word & they cost less than the commonplace sorts seen elsewhere.

### Boys' Confirmation Suits

On this eventful day your boy should appear at his best—therefore select his clothes here. FAMOUS' Confirmation Suits are made of strictly all-wool, dark worsteds, unfinished worsteds & thibet cloths—silk sewed throughout—nowhere in the city can you equal our wonderful values—

BOYS' KNEE PANTS SUITS AT \$3.95 TO \$12.00

BOYS' LONG PANTS SUITS AT \$5.00 TO \$15.00

### Boys' Novelty Suits at \$6.00

Cute and becoming clothes for the youngsters 2 1/2 to 10 years of age—of serges, cassimeres & worsteds—in all the new color & pattern combinations—new Deck Sailor Suits & Russian Blouse Suits—at least \$8.00 elsewhere for suits as good—Saturday, choice of hundreds for..... **6.00**

### Boys' Spring Reefers at \$3.95

Fancy weaves, blue serges & red thibet cloths—some have emblems on sleeve—sizes 2 to 10—years—usual \$5.00 values—Saturday special, for..... **3.95**

### "Academy" Clothes for Boy's

Are sold in St. Louis only at FAMOUS. Academy clothes are built of the finest silk mixture worsteds, fancy cassimeres & chevots—coats with novelty lapels, fancy cuffs & fancy pockets—2 & 3 button styles—single or double breasted coats—rompy peg top knickerbocker pants—sizes up to 17 years—Saturday, choice of hundreds for..... **10.00**

### Boys' Spring Suits at \$8.00

Of pure worsted fabrics—nobby pattern effects—olive, tan, mode, brown & green—also plain blue serges—for boys 6 to 16 years of age—suits equal to the \$10.00 & \$12.00 kinds elsewhere—Saturday, at FAMOUS, choice for..... **8.00**

### Boys' Spring Suits at \$4.95

You'll find it a fruitless task if you try to equal them under \$6 & \$7 elsewhere—36 nobby styles from which to select—of pure wool serges, fancy cassimeres & chevots—in all the new pattern & color combinations—clothes with all the new style features—straight or knickerbocker pants—sizes 6 to 16 years—Saturday, choice of hundreds for..... **4.95**

### Boys' Knickerbocker Suits, \$3.25

For boys 9 to 17 years of age—of all-wool cassimeres—in the latest patterns & colorings—exceedingly well tailored—good linings—strongly secured & neatly finished—suits such as you cannot duplicate in the city under \$5—tomorrow..... **3.25**

### Boys' Blouse Waists

Of madras & percales—with or without collars attached, a wide range of new Spring patterns to select from—\$9c & 75c values; Saturday (Second Floor)..... **42c**

### Men's and Young Men's Fancy Vests

Of washable fabrics, mercerized fabrics & novelty flannels—in this Spring's smartest styles—in three underpriced lots—**1.50, \$2.00 & \$2.50 VESTS—**  
Saturday..... **95c**  
**\$3.00 & \$3.50 VESTS—**  
Saturday..... **1.60**  
**\$4.00 & \$5.00 VESTS—**  
Saturday..... **2.40**

### Men's Spring Underwear

Medium weight imported balbriggan Under-shirts & Drawers—of finest cotton, soft as silk—the usual \$1.00 quality—Saturday only, special, per garment..... **69c**

### Men's Spring Underwear

Norfolk & New Brunswick Hosiery Co.'s make—light-weight cashmere wool—natural color—Saturday special—per garment..... **89c**

### Men's Silk Lisle Half Hose

Black, tan, helle, champagne, wistaria, gun-metal, reseda, Burgundy & other good colorings—imported to sell at 50c—Saturday..... **29c**



### Our Men's 55c Neckwear

is getting more popular every day. The very fashionable black & white stripes, all the rage in the East just now, are the newest addition to this unsurpassed line—all in the open end style—over 10,000 excellent scarfs from which to select—as good as any \$1.00 ties shown in the city—Saturday, choice for..... **55c**

### Men's 50c Neckwear for 25c

62 new ranges from which to choose—open end, satin-striped poplins, neat handkerchief scarfs, Shepherd plaid scarfs, novelty stripes & imported washable four-in-hands—Ties of this character will cost you 50c elsewhere in the city—Saturday, choice of thousands for..... **25c**

### Men's 50c Suspenders for 25c

1000 pairs Eagle make & 2200 pairs Pioneer make Suspenders—of Summer weight lisle—brass loops & trimmings—50c quality—Saturday special for..... **25c**

### Men's Manhattan Shirts

All the newest Spring styles are here in complete variety—prices range from \$1.50 up.

### Dr. Edson's Shoes for Men

If we didn't consider them the best \$3.00 Shoes ever offered in this city, we would not be so persistent in our efforts to interest you in them. They are built for foot comfort & for service—high or low cut—patent or gun-metal, velour or box calf & vicid lace, button or Blucher styles—in the newest plain or fancy patterns—if your limit is \$3.00 you will secure the biggest \$3.00 worth you have ever known. Buy a pair of Dr. Edson's Shoes the next time—you'll find them the most comfortable Shoes you have ever worn..... **3.00**



### Men's Hats at \$1.85

All the new soft styles, including Trooper, Alpine & Telescope effects—in the popular new shades, also black—Stiff Hats in the various sized brims & crowns—Hats such as you will find elsewhere at \$2.50 can be bought at FAMOUS for..... **1.85**  
John B. Stetson Hats for Men—In all the new soft & stiff blocks—price..... **3.50**



### Boys' Spring Hats

In the correct telescope shape—with slit crown—silk band & silk binding—exceptionally good values at \$1.85, \$1.40 &..... **98c**

### Misses' and Children's \$6.50 and \$7.50 Coats for \$4.75

Saturday is Children's Day at FAMOUS. To make your visit doubly interesting, we offer stylish Spring Coats in the loose back or semi-fitted style—of plain or fancy cloths, English novelty fabrics or Poca cloths—some have checked collars & cuffs, others have fancy combination trimmings, plain or novelty pockets—sizes 6 to 15 years—coats well worth \$6.50 to \$7.50—Saturday, at FAMOUS, choice of any for..... **4.75**

### Misses' \$22 Spring Suits, \$15.00

Of satin-strapped Prunella cloths, French serges, hard-finished materials & chiffon Panamas—3 or 4 piece styles—coats 34 to 40 inches long—lined with satin or Peau de Cygne—fancy trimmed or strictly tailored models—new shades—sizes 14 to 18—\$22.00 values—Saturday..... **15.00**

### Misses' \$8 Lingerie Dresses, \$5.98

Of soft batiste & lingerie cloths—trimmed with cream Val. laces & medallions—neat Princess styles—long sleeves, edged with 2 rows of lace—waist tucked back & front—high collar, edged with lace—white, pink & blue—sizes 14 to 18—\$8.00 values—Saturday..... **5.98**

### Misses' \$18.00 Dresses for \$12.50

Of silk foulards, tussah cloths & plain taffetas—one-piece styles—with net yoke & also empire & long waisted models—with lace yokes & black & white pipings—Saturday, for..... **12.50**

### Children's \$5.00 & \$6.00 Dresses, \$3.75

Of sheer white lawns & dotted Swiss—trimmed with embroideries & Val. laces—neat tucking—satin ribbon ties—sizes 6 to 14—\$5.00 & \$6.00 values—Saturday special for..... **3.75**

### Children's \$5.00 & \$6.00 Coats for \$2.90

Neat styles—loose back—of fancy mixtures, neat striped fabrics & Poca cloths—plain colors or fancy patterns—embellished on sleeves—sizes 6 to 14 years—\$5.00 & \$6.00 values—Saturday..... **2.90**



### Women's \$10 & \$11.50 Coats, \$7.50

180 stylish Spring Coats are involved in Saturday's special bargain offering—coats built of chiffon Panamas, French serges, light weight broadcloths, striped covert cloths & plain covert cloths—36, 40 & 50 inches long—lined or unlined—severely plain tailored or trimmed with buttons & braids in several clever models—coats that are intelligently tailored throughout & are \$10.00 & \$11.50 values. For a rousing sale Saturday in our coat section we offer you choice of any at the much lowered price of..... **7.50**

### Take Your Supper Here Saturday

We serve an excellent Table d'Hôte Supper from 5:30 to 8 P. M. every Saturday for..... **38c**

We Give, Redeem & Guarantee

### EAGLE STAMPS



ST. LOUIS CLEVELAND DENVER

The combined buying power of our 3 stores makes it possible for us to undersell all competition.

This Store Remains Open Every Saturday Evening Until 9 O'Clock



COUPLE SIGNS  
A CONTRACT TO  
FORGET THE PAST

Instrument Is Drawn in Court  
Where Marital Troubles  
Were Aired.

CALLS FOR NICE MEALS

Witnessed Agreement Provides  
Husband Shall Be "Included  
in Family."

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
WILKESBARRE, Pa., April 23.—An agreement for the management of their matrimonial relations, which is unique, was signed in court yesterday by Michael Smithers and his wife Julia, and each withdrew charges made against the other. They have been married only a short while and have had many difficulties which brought them into court. The agreement will permit them to understand each other better. It is as follows:

"Whereas, the parties to these presents have on account of divers sinister reason become estranged and are not, at the present time, in possession of the full enjoyment of conjugal bliss, and

"Whereas such relationship between the parties hereto has been brought about and occasioned not solely by either's dereliction, but, on the contrary, both parties are conscious of having contributed towards the causation of the present rupture, and

"Whereas both parties are desirous of establishing perfect co-operation, sympathy and love between themselves (such as is wont to exist between newly married couples) for and during the first few months of their wedded existence;

"The party of the first part, Michael Smithers, agrees:

"To pay or cause to be paid to the party of the second part the sum of thirty dollars (\$30), lawful money of the United States, a month, said money to be expended by the party of the second part for household necessities.

"Includes Him in the Family.  
"To forget the grime and disagreeable past and on no occasion to resurrect it.  
"To relate unto himself his erstwhile loving wife and treat her with kindness and due consideration.

"The party of the second part, Julia Smithers, hereby agrees:

"To resume the relationship of wife to the party of the first part.  
"To keep house and provide tasty meals for the family, said party of the first part to be included in the word family. In short, to conduct herself consistently with the position of a true and loving helpmate.

"To desist from and discontinue entertaining and harboring one Marion Sinklowitz at the expense and embarrassment of the party of the first part.  
"To forget the past and in no event to refer to it."

WIDOW OF 70 SAYS SWAIN  
OF 73 WHO JILTED HER WAS  
A "REGULAR KISSING BUG"

When He Married Another After 11  
Years' Courtship She Sued  
for Damages.

NEW YORK, April 23.—Fondness for widows and failure to appreciate the home-grown product were responsible for James Pullis, 73 years old, and still moving, being summoned before Judge Milton Demarest in the Circuit Court, Hackensack, N. J., yesterday to defend an action for breach of promise brought by Mrs. Margaret A. Vanderbeck, three laps behind him in the Methuselah Marathon.

Both live in Ridgewood and Margaret says that for 11 years he let her know in no uncertain terms that she had all the widows of his acquaintance willed to a whisper. Not until Jim imported Mrs. Margaret Garrison from Peterson and fastened his name on her did Margaret realize that her sunny sweetheart had been only fooling. Then she decided to bring suit.

"Despite his age he was an affectionate lover," said Mrs. Vanderbeck yesterday rolling her bright little eyes like a girl of 16. "He hadn't forgotten any of the regular courting tricks and he was just as attentive to me as possible. It was a kiss at the front door when I let him in and a smack when he was leaving. Sometimes he'd get half way home and come back to repeat. Jim was a regular kissing bug.

"He called me his little girl," said the old lady, running her fingers through her silvered pompadour, "and pined an engagement ring on my finger. I never cared much for the ring, though."

SINGER AND TRUST COMPANY  
OFFICIAL SHE IS TO MARRYNORDICA ADMITS  
SHE WILL MARRY  
GEORGE W. YOUNG

Singer Reaches New York and  
Confirms Report of Her  
Engagement.

NEW YORK, April 23.—Mme. Lillian Nordica, who returned to town last night after a concert tour, confirms the report that she is engaged to be married to George W. Young, vice-president of the Union Trust Co. No time has been set for the wedding.

Referring to the reports from Canada, recently, in which the engagement was denied, Mme. Nordica said that she had been misunderstood.

She had issued a statement through her manager, with the idea of admitting the engagement, she said.

YOUTH HELD FOR LEAD  
PIPE THEFTS SHOWS HE  
KNOWS SOMETHING OF LAW

Discusses Technicalities of His Case  
With Court and Bargains for  
Light Sentence.

Harvey Harden, self-styled "King of the Lead Pipe Thieves," although only 17 years old, convinced Judge Charles Claffin Allen that he knows "some law."

When arraigned in Judge Allen's division of the criminal court he was asked how he would plead to two charges of burglary and one of grand larceny.

"I plead not guilty to the charges of burglary," said Harden, a note of supreme confidence in his voice. "And furthermore, you cannot convict me of burglary because I did not force my way into any of the houses from which I stole lead pipe. You might convict me of larceny from a dwelling, but not burglary. The State's own witnesses testify that I borrowed keys from women to get into the vacant houses I robbed. I did not have to break into any of them."

"How do you plead to the charge of grand larceny?" asked Judge Allen interested in the youth's knowledge of legal technique.

"I will plead guilty if you will give me a Workhouse sentence," replied Harden.

"But grand larceny is a felony and carries a penitentiary sentence," said the Judge.

"Yes, I know that," said Harden, not the least bit discouraged, "but you can reduce the charge to petit larceny if you will."

ST. LOUIS SCHOOL  
GIRLS LEAVE THE  
BIG HAT AT HOME

Problem Which Worries Uni-  
versity of Chicago Is Un-  
known Here.

The chief difference between Wash-  
ington University girls and University  
of Chicago girls is not a matter of the  
size of feet or hands. It is a matter  
of hats and hats.

Chancellor David F. Houston of Wash-  
ington University chuckled heartily when  
his attention was drawn to a dispatch  
upon the prevailing big hats and lofty  
pompadours worn by co-eds.

"There is no such problem here," he  
said, "none at all. Why, our girls here  
at Washington University don't seem  
to wear any sort of hats at all when  
they come to school. Anyhow, I've  
never noticed any hats on them. They  
go bareheaded. I don't think the ex-  
pensive hat subject troubles them at all."

Adora Interior of Heads.  
Dr. Houston added that he hadn't not-  
iced any altitudinous or projecting  
pompadours, either. In fact, according  
to the chancellor, the Washington Uni-  
versity girls appear to have no use for  
ornamentation outside her head. She  
prefers to embellish the interior.

Superintendent Ben Blewett of the St.  
Louis public schools does not fear that  
the big hats will become a problem  
among the high-school girls, except as  
to its cost, which already is a problem  
at home. Superintendent Blewett, how-  
ever, recognizes the existence of the  
unusually expanded hat as an institu-  
tion. He declares that he has seen it,  
even on school girls.

The Chicago objection to the large  
hat, a medieval stock, pro-nature fake  
platform, a seven-family, 18-room tenement  
house is to be moved on rollers from  
East Alton avenue to Church street,  
East Alton, while the seven families  
continue their cooking, eating and other  
domestic occupations just as though  
their domicile were stationary.

Friday the house, the body of which  
is 30 by 50 feet and which has several  
rooms, was elevated on jack-screws,  
ready for the moving, which will begin  
Monday morning. The building belongs  
to Fred Crandall and will be moved by  
Taylor Foster.

It is more than 20 years old and is now  
one of the least attractive edifices on  
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KERENS' CHANCES  
FOR DIPLOMATIC  
POST ARE WANING

"His" Correspondents on  
"His" Papers Predict His  
Elevation.

HE IS IN WASHINGTON

Senator Warner Is No Longer  
Sure Appointment Will  
Be Made.

While politicians at Washington speak  
dubiously of Col. R. C. Kerens' chances  
of going to Vienna as ambassador, "his"  
papers, the New York Mail, Wednesday  
published this dispatch from Washing-  
ton:

That Richard C. Kerens of St.  
Louis will be the new Ambassador  
to Austria, vice Francis of New  
York was admitted today.

Mr. Kerens is here for a meeting  
of the Catholic University managers  
and gives the impression he will ac-  
cept the office.

Some months ago, while he was in  
Washington, Col. Kerens gave out an  
interview in which he said he had  
"gone into the newspaper business"  
and that he had bought interests in the  
Evening Mail, formerly the Mail  
and Express, and the St. Louis Times.  
He referred to them as "my papers" and  
spoke of the Washington correspond-  
ent of the two publications as  
"my correspondent."

His presence in Washington and the  
wording of the telegram to the Mail  
are taken by persons familiar with the  
situation at the capital to indicate that  
the dispatch was inspired by the colonel  
himself, who directed "his" correspond-  
ent to send it.

On the other hand, a dispatch from  
Washington to the Post-Dispatch Fri-  
day says there is grave doubt that the  
Colonel will get the plum he so ardently  
desires as a sort of consolation prize  
in the game of politics which he long  
has played a losing hand.

The Colonel is in Washington to at-  
tend a meeting of the trustees of the  
Catholic University. The dispatch from  
Washington said the Colonel announced  
Thursday that he would call on the  
President, but "merely to pay his res-  
pects."

In recounting Washington gossip rela-  
tive to the Colonel's diplomatic aspira-  
tions, the dispatch said:

Senator Kerens, who has struggled  
for 20 years to become Senator from  
that State is not particularly hopeful  
at present of getting the Austrian diplo-  
matic post. A month ago Senator  
Warner of Missouri was so sure the ap-  
pointment would be made that he an-  
nounced it as a practical certainty to  
friends, but even Senator Warner is  
puzzled now. The Senator's interest in  
the appointment is that it would take  
Mr. Kerens out of the State, where his  
money and his political activity menace  
Senator Warner's hope of returning to  
the Senate two years hence.

"Secretary of Commerce and Labor  
Nagel, who is also of St. Louis, is not  
in favor of the appointment of Mr.  
Kerens. He could not be consistently.  
The two represent entirely antagonistic  
factions of the Missouri Republicans.  
But it is known that Mr. Nagel, having  
once stated his views on the subject,  
has taken the position that if the Pres-  
ident insists on appointing Mr. Kerens,  
Nagel will not fight the appointment."

Kerens Spent Large Sum.  
The opposition to Kerens that has  
held up the nomination, and that  
promises to prevent it altogether, has  
come from his home State. It has  
been represented to the President that  
while Kerens has spent large sums of  
money in Missouri, \$50,000 by his  
own statement, in the last campaign,  
all the money has been spent to ad-  
vance his own interests.

"It is further pointed out that when  
Missouri finally got a chance to make  
a Senator, after the Roosevelt elec-  
tion, Mr. Kerens' own party repudiated  
him and elected William B. Ewing of  
Kansas City. Also, that after the  
last election, when Mr. Taft carried the  
State Kerens ran last in the Republi-  
can primaries for Senator."

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from men in Missouri, whom the Pres-  
ident knows personally and on whose  
judgment he relies."

SEVEN ALTON FAMILIES STAY  
IN HOUSE WHILE IT'S MOVED

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One Hand Once Held Skirt Up From Mud,  
Both Hands Hold New One Down in Wind

Since Women Have  
Abandoned Petticoats, They Are at  
Mercy of Breeze

By MARGUERITE MARTYN.

THIS is the way we hold our skirts  
nowadays—with both hands,  
gathering up neat, straight folds  
on each side—no.

Haven't you noticed it? Then you  
have not walked abroad these balmy  
days and got thoroughly acquainted with  
yourself in your new one-piece costume  
with its long, narrow skirt or you would  
know that it is highly expedient, for  
the sake of preservation of its proper  
outlines and for other reasons that you  
hold your skirt just so.

Of course there was a time when you  
have grasped your skirt with both hands  
would have been qualified as unseemly,  
if awkwardness was not a sufficient  
objection.

You would have been cautioned that  
one hand was quite enough—that you  
should be thankful the proprieties pre-  
sented you to lift your skirt ever so  
slightly, just high enough to let the  
toe of your shoe peep out and to keep  
your train out of the mire.

My Goodness, How Times Change.  
UCH notions along with the  
coquetry which inspired them (for  
every one will admit that nothing  
is as alluring to the opposite sex as  
the appearance of maidenly reserve)—  
have been relegated to the age of petti-  
coats.

The old way of getting a tidy clutch  
on the seam at the back of the skirt  
and swinging it gracefully around to

one side necessitated many twists and  
curves. Now, petticoats, twists, curves,  
even coquetry if necessary, have been  
sacrificed for straight lines. To the  
straight front has been added the  
straight back. So straight and plain are  
the backs of the newest gowns that not a  
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By MARGUERITE MARTYN.

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Haven't you noticed it? Then you  
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Youth Accompanies Stranger  
to East Side and Gets Fool-  
ish on "Pop."

WANTED TO SEE IT

Confidence Man Had No Trou-  
ble Getting Victim's  
Money.

G. E. Davis, living on R. F. D. Route  
No. 1, near Booneville, Mo., arrived in  
St. Louis Thursday and, after deposit-  
ing his grips in a luncheon near Union  
Station, started out to view the city.

He reached a point which, from his de-  
scription, the police think was about  
Broadway and Franklin avenue, when a  
man asked him the direction to Eads  
Bridge.

"Stranger myself," said Davis, "but I  
reckon I can start you right. What's  
coming off there?"

"Didn't you hear about it?" asked  
the stranger in surprise. "Why the  
crest of the flood is due to arrive. I'm  
on the reception committee and there'll  
be big doings down there. They've got  
ropes stretched clear across the river  
and we're going to hold the crest until  
the town band plays its new march.  
The Mayor's going to be there."

"Gee, guess I'll go along," said Da-  
vis.

At the bridge approach they stopped.  
No crowds were in sight.

East Side Searched for Crest.  
"Crest must be coming down the other  
side," said the stranger. "Let's go over  
to East St. Louis."



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## FREE BRIDGE IN EAST ST. LOUIS.

The bill in the Illinois House of Representatives providing for an appropriation of \$300,000 for the approaches of the free bridge appeals to East Side interests which see in the bridge a weapon against monopoly.

The prosperity of a community depends largely upon unobstructed channels of communication with the outside world in all directions. No one can say that East St. Louis any more than St. Louis enjoys these advantages at present. The terminal monopoly has its hands upon the throat of both communities, and the free bridge is the only means by which this hold can be broken and commerce be enabled to flow unvexed to and from both sides of the river.

The bill which calls for this appropriation, offered in the House by Representative Charles A. White of East St. Louis, reflects the public interest of the East Side as against the interest of monopoly and should be passed into law.

The constitutional experiment in Persia has failed because it is said not one in one thousand of the Persians knows how to read and not one in ten thousand knows how to write. It may be so, but the same assertions were made in France at the time of the Revolution and in England from time to time when the democracy was thought to be rising too fast. Conservative interest has more to do with the failures of free government than the ignorance of the progressives.

## A ST. LOUIS PLEA FOR FREE HIDES.

Mr. A. B. Goodbar, president of the Goodbar Shoe Co., of this city, has addressed a letter to members of the Senate in which he presents arguments against a duty on hides. There are new points in the case as he presents it. The Dingley rate of 15 per cent is shown to be applicable only to hides of 25 pounds weight or over, so that the hides taxed are those used only for sole leather, the heavy shoes worn by workers and for harness, saddlery and belting leather used largely by farmers and teamsters. Paradoxically the finer hides of horse, calf and goat are admitted free.

The Beef Trust controlling the market not only for hides, but through its ownership of the stock of the United States Leather Co., the sole leather market also, is the single beneficiary of the tariff tax. The contention that the tax on hides insures better prices to cattle raisers falls before Mr. Goodbar's showing that the price of hides does not go up with the price of beef. High prices for beef means an accumulation of hides and lower prices for them. Reciprocally when beef is cheap, the production of hides falls off, and they become scarce and high, accordingly.

Moreover the tariff on hides is the bulwark of the Beef Trust's monopoly of the leather market. The producers of one-fifth of the sole leather are compelled to buy their raw material from the trust with which they compete, and are surely doomed to disaster or absorption.

Careful reading of Mr. Goodbar's argument leaves no room for doubt that the duty on hides answers no useful purpose of protection, while as a revenue raiser it is practically a complete failure. The sincerity of the Senate in its revision will be tested to some degree by its response to the appeal for free hides.

Fifteen thousand persons, many of them cripples and the others widows and dependent children of men killed by the surface cars in New York City, hold judgments aggregating \$2,000,000 against the bankrupt New York City Railway Co. The concern was looted by high finance methods and the victims of corporate and individual greed are suffering. A mass meeting is to be held which it is expected will be attended by 2000 of the victims. Perhaps this meeting will call such attention to the crime that efforts will be made to punish the men responsible for it.

## ANOTHER WORLD'S FAIR PROPOSAL.

Of the making of international exhibitions there seems to be no end. And in this country, while the centenaries hold out, we shall be expected to celebrate them every little while with the largest world's fair.

Boston, recalling to mind that the Pilgrim Fathers landed in 1620, is now discussing a great fair in 1920, and the enthusiasts propose to go to work at once, so that it may be made not only the biggest, but the best world's fair ever seen.

In the course of his speech closing the St. Louis World's Fair of 1904, President Francis remarked that it would be long before another would be held. If world's fairs are the timekeepers of progress, as Mr. McKinley described them, time should be allowed to make a little progress between them, so that the advance in science, art, politics, culture in general, can be observed and studied. What advance can be expected to justify a world's fair in this country three years after the Tokyo Exposition in 1917? The same and sensible comment on the Boston proposal is to be found in the Francis speech of Nov. 30, 1904.

## MR. TAFT AND THE INCOME TAX.

There will be no income tax. Recrudent Republican senators may join with determined Democratic senators in its support, but when final pressure is brought to bear this feature will be eliminated from the Aldrich-Payne tariff bill if, indeed, it ever attains the dignity of being numbered among its august provisions.

The reason there will be no income tax is because the force behind the tariff bill does not want one. Senator Aldrich is opposed to it. Senator Aldrich is the chosen representative and spokesman of the men on whom such a tax would fall most heavily. The influence of the force is plainly apparent. It has already been exerted to whip President Taft into line.

It is the same force which succeeded in forever silencing Theodore Roosevelt on the question of tariff revision. Mr. Roosevelt began life as a free trader. When he became President he was an advocate of tariff revision. But he became suddenly and unexpectedly silent on the subject and the views he had promised to incorporate into a message were forever unexpressed.

Mr. Taft has on several occasions declared himself in favor of an income tax. When he first became a presidential possibility he caused consternation by speaking out boldly for tariff revision. It was a time when "tariff revision" meant nothing in the world but lower duties. Then he became constantly more guarded in his statements until he was recorded not as favoring revision, but an adjustment, "up as well as down."

We see the same wavering and hesitancy now in regard to the income tax. He favored it. Then he favored it if necessary. Now it is a "last resort." Tomorrow it will be unnecessary because Senator Aldrich is assured his bill will supply all the revenue needed.

What is this tremendous influence that muzzles the mouths of Republican presidents and stops the operation of their consciences?

St. Louis has 2218 saloons—one for every 320 men, women and children, or one for every 64 men. Half the number, orderly and well regulated, would be more than enough.

## THE LAW OF THE ROAD.

The "laws of the road" ordinance which has been drafted for presentation in the Municipal Assembly offers a comprehensive regulation of all vehicles, including street cars and motor cars, and defines the police power of superintendence and enforcement.

It is said that the Automobile Club of St. Louis has had a hand in the construction of this measure, which is meant to prevent accidents or reduce the number to a minimum. This is a hopeful sign of interest in a quarter where interest should be most active and efficient.

Whether or not the people who are run down and killed or maimed by automobile speeders are themselves to blame is beside the question. The fact is that automobiles are at large; and that speeding and reckless driving are common occurrences is a fact which most of us must accept as a fact on the evidence of our senses. And autoists themselves are the very people who have the sharpest interest to put a stop to the murderous sport. If there is any ground for the "prejudice" against automobiles in town or country it has been prepared by chauffeurs and owners who disregard considerations of good sense and humanity and who are not checked by the censures of the sane spirits of their own corps.

General regulation of all vehicles is desirable. But the main thing is to bring flighty autoists to their senses. And once the ordinance is passed its effectiveness will depend very considerably upon the disposition of motorists in general.

So then President Taft will advocate the income tax only "as a last expedient," which is to say he will advocate justice only as a last expedient.

## THE INITIATIVE CLAUSE.

For the statements that the initiative in reference to prohibition or anything else cannot be put into operation without an enabling act, there seems to be no foundation. The amendment providing for the initiative and referendum adopted last November concludes:

"Petitions and orders for the initiative and referendum shall be filed with the Secretary of State, and in submitting the same to the people he, and all other officers, shall be guided by the general laws and the act submitting this amendment, until legislation shall be especially provided therefor."

A statement filed by Jep Howe shows he spent nothing on his election as freeholder. He merely shed.

## THE GROWING AUTOMOBILE INDUSTRY.

Two years ago the automobile industry had not grown to proportions that forbade easy tabulation of the factories and the amount and value of their annual output. Today the industry is referred to in general terms and it is an unusually well-informed dealer who knows half the varieties made.

This week one factory decided to increase its capital from \$250,000 to \$1,000,000 and enlarge its capacity to 7000 machines a year. This concern makes no expensive cars, but its new product will have a market value of at least \$7,000,000 a year. Five years ago it was estimated that the total annual output of motor cars was 12,000. Next year this one factory will turn out 7000. In 1908 the total production was 55,000 cars, valued at \$123,000,000.

It is doubtful if there is an industry in the United States that is growing as rapidly. It employs only the most skilled workmen and requires machinery of the finest kind. It produces what we regard as a luxury. It seems to have been very slightly stayed by the business depression. It has revived quickly and it is now noticeable that the factories are behind their orders. What the future holds for this expanding industry can only be imagined.

The burglar who left his overcoat behind him with his name and address in a notebook in the pocket is a victim of higher education. Had he been unable to write he might have escaped arrest longer.

"I have always been too busy to think much about myself," says Mr. Harriman, "but now I am just beginning to realize that there is a possible

hereafter." Conscience? Or is it just a case of fatigue and disordered digestion?

Astronomers in Paris are counting the stars and expect to find 30,000,000 to 40,000,000. But the number of chorus girls, and the girls themselves, will be more interesting.

If seekers for a Nevada divorce must actually live in that State to get one, the industry will speedily die. The reward is not worth the price.

Plainly the tariff is being revised by its friends and protectors.

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Why?  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
Why do so many St. Louisans chew gum in public? Is it done on a bet?  
MUSKOGEE.

Blocked by the Des Peres.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

A great many school children were prevented from attending the Longfellow School on Wednesday because the Des Peres was out of its banks and over the road where the Old Manchester road goes under the Frisco tracks. It is a reflection on the Board of Public Improvement that it should permit this ridiculous stream to prevent children from going to school and cut up the other tricks it does whenever we have a heavy rain. In what other city of this size would such conditions be permitted.  
PARENT.

Lonesome for Children.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

A childless couple would like to hear from some kind person that has adopted a child, if you can learn to love it as much as if it was your own, and where is the best place to take it from, a foundling home or an orphan home? I do not care for card playing, theater or balls, but like to go visiting and receive, but there's something missing in our home and that is children. At times I get so lonesome that sometimes I think I'll lose my mind grieving. My husband has a good salary and can afford to raise them, but I'm not fortunate enough to have children of our own.  
A LONESOME WOMAN.

St. Louis Dry District.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In the district lying between Easton avenue and clayton road, west of King's highway to the city limit, there are no saloons. Efforts to establish saloons in this section have been fought by men who derive profit more or less directly from the liquor traffic; such men have joined hands with men who do not believe saloons are necessary to the well being of any part of the rest of the community and have even gone so far as to protest against the sale of bottled liquors by the grocers of this section. It is a notable fact that nowhere in St. Louis is the value of residence real estate so high as in this section and the constant argument against saloons for this section is that their presence would reduce real estate value. What is good for the rich district would be better for the poor district where in addition to lowering realty values a saloon is a menace to morality.  
J. E. G.

Restricted Land Grants.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In this country and Canada a land grant to a prospective homesteader is hedged about with divers restrictions. He is first granted the land for a term of years; he must reside so many months in each year on the land; he must build a house worth so many hundred dollars. These restrictions against speculation in land were not imposed when the transcontinental railroad was given over 20,000,000 acres of the best land of the country as a bribe for building railroads. It is my opinion that if we would allow a homesteader to do just as he likes with his land; live on it or not; cultivate it or not; build on it or not; but require him to pay yearly into the treasury the rental value of the land he controlled. By so doing, no homesteader would keep his land idle as the railroads keep millions of acres idle now, and even if he did, the community would benefit by his yearly payment of the ground rent.  
H. SYCAMORE.

A Prohibitionist View.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

By what process of reasoning do the astute bankers of this city arrive at the conclusion that "State-wide prohibition" will result in the destruction of \$100,000,000 worth of property in St. Louis? Where is the property that it will destroy? Do they mean lager beer and the privilege to make it? If so, it is up to them to prove that beer is property. A product that is 56 per cent water, with 5 per cent of cheap intoxicant that is pronounced by experts the world over to be of no earthly benefit to the human family can't be counted much as property. No prohibition will not take a shingle off the roof of a single home in St. Louis. There are a large number of persons in and out of St. Louis who have money in the banks of this city who are in no way connected with the liquor interests, and who will vote for State-wide prohibition the first chance they have.  
A DEPOSITOR.

Rebellious Teamsters.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Why do the teamsters of St. Louis stay in the car track when they see and hear a car coming in back of them? I ride on the sand box and I am positive that at least eight out of ten pay no attention to the teamster's going and only pull out of the track when it pleases them to do so. I understand a motorman can have a teamster arrested if he holds the track for a block, but why not make it 20 feet instead of a block? There are, of course, exceptions to all rules and sometimes a driver cannot get out of the track in 20 feet when he hears the car coming, and this exception is rare. Why are not the police instructed to arrest any driver who wilfully holds up a street car? Don't leave it to the motorman alone but let the police get busy themselves. If it were known that any driver would be arrested if he did not leave the car track immediately upon hearing a car approaching (and he always hears it), there would be few arrests and much better car service.  
ST. LOUIS TO THE FRONT.

Stop the Wheat Gamblers.  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The gamblers are gaming the common people again. The people who have struggled against such overwhelming odds for the past year and a half, Patton and his fellow-vampires are sucking the blood of the poor man and his loved ones; those who have been working half time and less for wages that were pitifully insufficient. Under the caption of "Business Shrewdness," which we are expected to admire, and their wise beneficence in saving for home consumption their wheat that would otherwise have been shipped to Europe, they exact a toll of millions made up of the pennies of the poor, which with true patriotism they stow away carefully in their own pockets. The sweltering slums of the cities during the coming summer will be leveled on for tribute in order that these saviors of our country in Chicago and Wall street may hold high revel. Let them remember the parable of Lazarus and the rich man and consider their ends. In the meantime may the Post-Dispatch start a monster petition to Congress to enact laws forbidding such vampires from tampering with the food supplies of the people.  
W. H. PRICE.

LUMBER AND FUTURE FICTION.  
From the Washington Star.

There are fears that lumber will become so expensive that the farmers of fiction will not be able to afford a pine stick when they want to sit on the fence and write.



## SAVING THE COUNTRY.

From the Washington Blade.  
"The worst newspaper is a valuable adjunct to the business interests of the country," remarked Senator Plator Krat, sentimentally.

"How you figure that?" queried Harry Mann evidently amazed.  
"Do not the most reckless newspapers maintain the best scoreboards and do not the good scoreboards make the unemployed glad they have no work to do? Thus, while we are adjusting business, surplus labor is kept out of mischief."

## MAIL EXTRAVAGANCE.

From the Cleveland Plain Dealer.  
"I want a 2-cent stamp for this postal card," said a woman at the stamp window.  
"If it's for that postal a 1-cent stamp is all you need," corrected the clerk.  
"Ah," replied the woman, "but you see, my sister and I both wrote some things on this card, so of course it'll have to have a 2-cent stamp."

## HAMMERING A POET.

From the New York Evening Post.  
Mr. Charles Hanson Towne writes in the April Harper's Bazar:  
April and on the shining hills  
The ancient miracle of birth;  
Lo! God is forging daffodils  
Upon the anvil of the earth!  
Artificial flowers we have heard of;  
Flowers hammered out by the hand of the Lord, we do not remember ever seeing.

## FEMININE VAGANIES.

From the Cleveland Plain Dealer.  
St. Louis heiress has sold her paternal home so she can live with her coming husband in the humble cottage he has built.  
The acknowledged champion beauty of Chicago has wedded a New York traveling man.  
Queer sex, isn't it?

## THE FASHIONABLE COLOR.

From the Philadelphia Star.  
"Green," says a fashion note, "is the prevailing spring shade." We hate to intrude in a matter affecting fashions, but our private information is to the effect that it will be worn somewhat extensively this season in juleps.

## MISSING RHYMES.

From the New York Telegram.  
Don't notice the poets jumping in to find rhymes to Yiddis Kiosk, Istanbul, Tchafadja, Atadysky, Usunkopri and other Turkish summer resorts now figuring in the news. Nobody but Alfred Austin would dare do it, anyway.

## CHANCE FOR A NEW ONE.

From the Philadelphia Star.  
That husband out West who has just returned to his wife after an absence of 20 years, won't be able to spring the old gag about being "detained at the office."

## MEASURE OF DISTINCTION.

From the Detroit Free Press.  
"What makes you say that they are people of distinction?"  
"Because," said the iceman, "they're the only people on my run who aren't in the four-chunks-a-week class."

## OUT OF DATE.

From the New Orleans Item.  
"I don't see any messenger boy jokes these days."  
"No," the kids all have the Marathon fever now."

## WORDS FAIL HIM.

From the Galveston (Tex.) Herald.  
The lady editor of the Clarksville Advertiser calls "em 'waste-basket hata.' The weather man calls 'em 'cool-scuttie lids.' We don't call 'em."

## THE BISCUIT OF TODAY.

From the Atlantic Journal.  
The biscuits our wives make are dearer, if not better than those our mothers used to make.

## JUST A MINUTE FOR VERSE AND HUMOR.

Written for the Post-Dispatch by Clark McAdams.

## BRESNAHAN.

BRESNAHAN, old man, we're not the  
Least discouraged when you fall—  
Rome the mighty was not builded  
In a day, if you recall.  
Keep the youngsters playing ball  
Teeth and toenail to a man,  
And we'll have a jubilation  
One of these days, Bresnahan.

Many men have perished, Roger,  
In the breach that you would fill—  
Dying with their boots on, maybe,  
But no less laid cool and still  
In the grave of what things will,  
Fallen with some futile plan  
To revive the old-time glory  
Where you labor, Bresnahan.

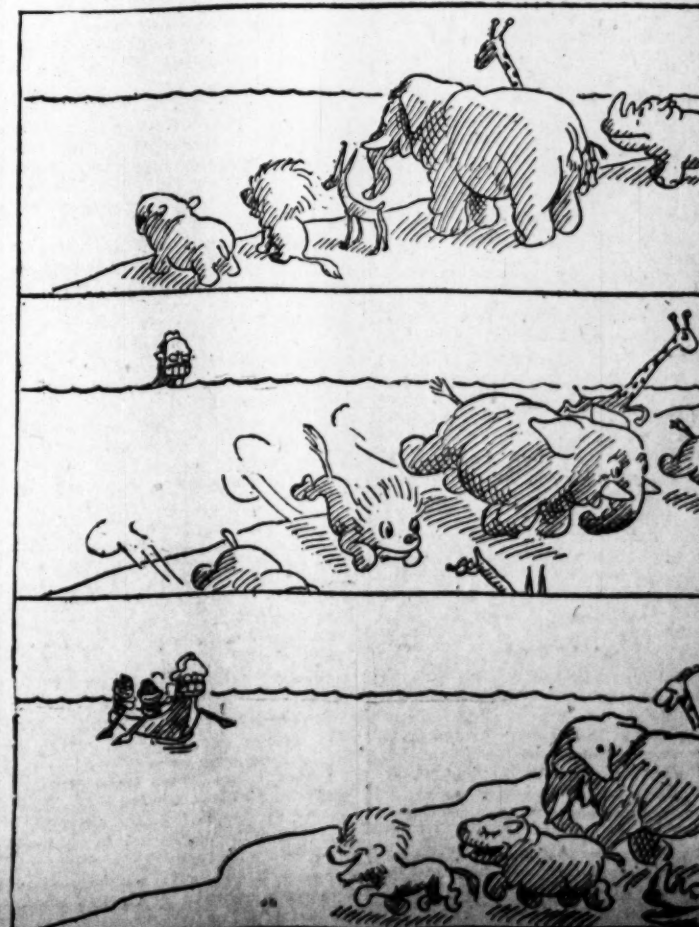
Bresnahan, old man, have at them  
With those ringing Irish cries  
That have always warned the other  
Fellow here is where he dies.  
Kick the dust up in their eyes,  
Hold the fort, and when you can  
Sally out and wipe the park up  
With them, Bresnahan, old man.

## Our Architectural Interdependence.

The evidence is accumulating that the downtown store buildings of St. Louis are holding each other up. A few months ago an excavation was made for the La Salle Building at Broadway and Olive, and the Oakes Building fell down. Now a building at Seventh and Washington is going to fall down because the structure supporting it on one side has been removed.

How many structures have we that are holding each other up?

## FALSE ALARM.



## NOTES AND QUERIES.

Answers to Questions From Readers of the Post-Dispatch.

Write but one question. No bets decided. Business addresses given. Legal questions must be simple. Give "Answers," Post-Dispatch, using postal cards with convenient.

A. B.—See Answers April 8.  
YORKER.—Ask 1234 Washington avenue.  
D. E.—We don't know street-corner formulae and a divorce.

A. R.—Grand Leader Building cost \$1,100,000.  
MR. D. K.—Have a talk with any respectable physician.

A. R.—For White House whitewash see Answers March 21.  
GILSUM.—Postage on Post-Dispatch of 14 pages 12 cents.

C. A. G.—"I think; therefore, I am" was said by Des Cartes.  
RAY.—Bartons has a register higher than bass and lower than tenor.

R. M.—In order to pass civil service examination you must make a grade of 70.  
MARGARET.—An unclaimed dog may be obtained at the dog pound by any one.

A. B. C.—Try writing Superintendent of Schools for any county in which you wish to teach.  
M. N. G.—There may be some new houses without mantels in the parlor, but there cannot be any.

A. S. M.—In case of any eye inflammation use soft linen cloths or absorbent cotton wet with borax solution. You case was not constitute a ground of action for damages.

M. R. C.—The salary of the man who didn't pay you for the books may be parished; 10 per cent if he is married.  
N. D.—Postoffice doesn't give addresses. Try addressing a letter to Chief of Police of the California city you mention.

GROVE.—Trumpet flower 3 years old, trunk 4 inches in diameter, 1 foot high, and blooming beautifully. It is worth about \$5.  
EX.—We presume all formality has been complied with, and we cannot say positively, not knowing nature of business and its scope.

SUBSCRIBER.—There is no law permitting the husband of a hopelessly insane wife to marry again. Some court might grant a divorce out.  
R.—Providing that the proceeding brought against you was not malicious, your case was not constitute a ground of action for damages.

EDW.—Penitentiaries: Arkansas, Little Rock; Minnesota, Jackson; Texas, Huntsville and Pusk; Louisiana, Baton Rouge; Kansas, Lansing.  
DISPUTE.—The law says that each property owner benefited must pay half the expense of division fence. You certainly do not have to "pay all."

READER.—It is not a fact that "they do not hang in the State of Missouri for any crime." Jury may be punishment as imprisonment for life in place of death penalty.  
D. G.—Kidnaping is now so common that a person might dream that a child had been kidnapped and the dream might come true. Don't think the dream means anything.

RHX.—Unskilled laborers appointed by the Civil Service Commission do not ordinarily work on Sunday. Pay, \$2 a day; hours, eight. Throughout May applications will be received out.

S. M. N.—There are estimates of St. Louis population running from 700,000 up to 1,000,000. We estimate 800,000. Population of Memphis, Tenn., estimated, 175,000; Nashville, Tenn., estimated, 135,000.

H. G. R.—At the theater, while her escort is getting tickets, a young woman stands just as the railroad car is not to be in the way. She passes in first. She does not hold his hat. She holds her own hat, or it is checked.

W. H. A. S.—To the juice of the orange add one tablespoon of syrup made in same proportions as for lemonade, and pour over crushed ice, or use juice of an orange and half a lemon and a tablespoon and a half of syrup.

HOPS.—Hop beer: Ten pounds sugar, one pound hops, one quart water, ger bruised. Boil hops three hours with five gallons water, then strain, add five more gallons water and ginger, boil a little longer, again strain, add the sugar and when lukewarm add one pint yeast. Bottle after 24 hours.

G. M. B.—The writer of the Spanish sentence you send and not very far from with that language, or else you have made several errors in copying it. The second sentence you send is quite unintelligible. The first sentence means "Don't trouble yourself about the maiden and the scholar." The last is "Goodbye, friend."

SUBSCRIBER.—Neither orthodox nor reformed law can be given. The time they ever do is when they cease to be Jews and become converts to some other faith which requires it. The place of baptism is taken in the case of boys by circumcision. The case of girls there is only a naming ceremony in the synagogue.

ILLITERATE.—Senate and House Representatives constitute the Legislature. Senators are elected from districts of the United States. The equal in population as the latest Federal census may show. Representatives are elected from each congressional district. The number of representatives from each county being according to its population.

M. R. B.—In certain instances tenant or leasee can have sign painted upon the wall of the premises he occupies exclusively and which is necessary in stating his right of business, name and address. If you cannot agree such sign is implied and the landlord signing contract and receiving the rent is proper.

C. R.—To become a citizen of the United States go to the office of the Clerk of the United States Circuit Court in the Postoffice Building. Eighth and Olive streets, declare your intention of becoming a citizen and secure a passport. After a lapse of two years present your petition to the United States Circuit Court through a practicing attorney who know that you have been a resident of the United States for five years. Fee \$4. In about ninety days you will be summoned into court, accompanied by your witnesses, to renounce allegiance from a foreign power and receive final papers.

C. R. K.—Perfect mayonnaise dressing: Before beginning, see that articles used are thoroughly chilled, eggs, oil, plate and even fork. Carefully free yolks of two eggs from whites in a large soup plate, add half teaspoonful salt and stir with silver fork until eggs are well mixed; add the oil drop by drop, being careful to stir in the same direction, adding a drop of vinegar when the emulsion becomes thick. The mixture becomes thick, the oil must be added faster, always stirring, never beating, and using a silver spoon to keep the dressing from separating, using two eggs to one pint of oil. When finished it should be thick and perfectly smooth.

R. E. D.—Under vast authority we doubt very much whether the court would convict an agent under the statute approved March 22, 1901, in offering property for sale without first obtaining "written authority" from owner and was supplied to cities of 300,000 inhabitants or more; in other words to St. Louis, under authority of this local statute of doubtful validity, we believe it useless (as a defense) to ask the court to construe a broker who under verbal authority is the procuring cause of a sale which ever closes with a bona fide contract thereafter despoiling agent his compensation and pleading this statute as a defense to pervert a fraud on the broker. We do not say your case will win, but the same issue is being argued in many things enter the question of "agency" facts which may or may not read under authority of the commission.





# Whispering Smith

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**SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.**  
Supt. McCloud discharges Wrecking Crew. All the men with Sinclair and go with the division, which are sent to outlaws. President Hicks sends Whispering Smith into the country with a new band, clean out the outlaws. McCloud boards with Marion Sinclair. McCloud's sister, who is a milliner at Medicine Bend, Whispering Smith in love with Dickie Dunning, who has been badly treated by McCloud and takes to build a line of railroad into the Crawling Spring Valley. The Dunning believe Sinclair is the man who has been treated by McCloud. Whispering Smith identifies him as the man who has been treated by McCloud. The Dunning believe Sinclair is the man who has been treated by McCloud. The Dunning believe Sinclair is the man who has been treated by McCloud.

## CHAPTER XX.

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McCloud and Smith had been joined dancing on horseback, and they made their way around Squaw lake and across the fields. The fog was rolling up from the willows at the bend. Men were chopping in the brush, and McCloud and his companion soon met Lance Dunning, riding up the narrow strip of sand that held the river off the ranch.

McCloud greeted Dunning, regardless of his amazement, as if he had parted from him the day before. "How are you making it over here?" he asked. "We are in pretty good shape at the moment," Dunning replied. "I thought I would have been to see if we could do anything for you. This is what you call a surprise, isn't it?"

Lance swallowed his astonishment. "This isn't what you call a surprise, is it?" he asked. "He took off his hat and wiped his forehead. Well, I call this white, anyway, and no mistaking it, indeed, sir! This is Whispering Smith, isn't it? Glad to see you at Crawling Spring, sir." Which served not only to surprise but to please Whispering Smith.

"Some of my men were free," continued McCloud. "I switched some mattresses and sacks around the Y. thinking they might come in to play here for you at the bend. They are at your service if you think you need them."

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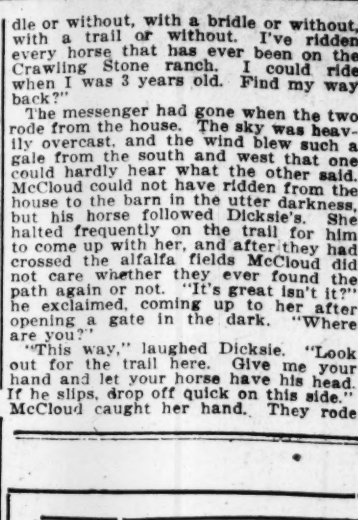
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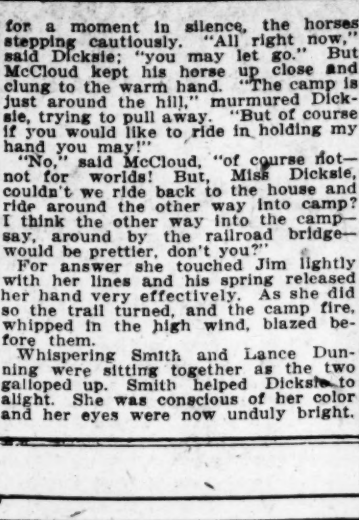
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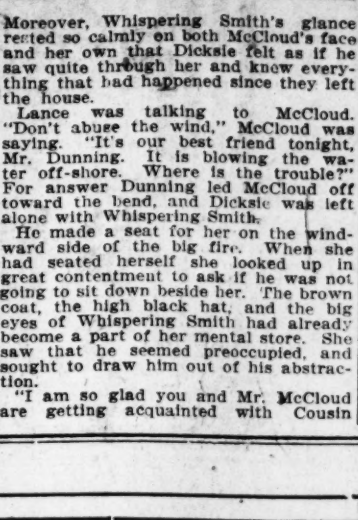
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**Dittmar to Wrestle McMurdo.**  
Walter Dittmar and Scotty McMurdo, the latter champion wrestler of Manitoba, will meet in a best two-out-of-three fall match at the Standard Theater this evening. Dittmar is a young local grappler who has been showing fine form. He put up some good bouts last year and has improved greatly this season. Harry Sharpe will referee the contest this evening.



# AVERAGES

## Browns Are Outbatting All Rivals in American

Records of Games Played to Date Show McAleer's Men Are Also Strong in the Field.

Danny Murphy of the Athletics leads the American League batsmen, for the brief time the season has been under way. Many noted hitters, of course, have not yet caught their stride and sundry morning glories have been going beyond their speed. All these things will rectify themselves in due course of time.

The St. Louis Browns easily lead in both team batting and team fielding and all St. Louis doubtless pulls for them to keep the pace. Individual fielding records, of course, are useless this early in the game.

The averages of the National League are, of course, like blushing brides right now, not fully developed, and far from being ripe. Boston is the only club in the eight which has started out with any special hitting strength. All the rest are way below-grade and will have to build up as the season goes on. The pitchers, apparently, are far ahead of the batsmen as far as they have gone.

Batting records of men who have played three games or over:

| AMERICAN LEAGUE BATTING. |    |    |    |    |     |     |      |        |           |
|--------------------------|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|------|--------|-----------|
| PLAYERS.                 | G. | A. | R. | H. | SH. | SB. | Pct. | CLUB.  | ST. LOUIS |
| Murphy, A. L.            | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | Ath.   | 1.000     |
| Hoffman, St. L.          | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | Bos.   | 1.000     |
| Collins, A. L.           | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | Bro.   | 1.000     |
| Gray, Wash.              | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | Chi.   | 1.000     |
| Birmingham, Cl.          | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | Det.   | 1.000     |
| Laurens, N. Y.           | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | Ind.   | 1.000     |
| St. Louis, St. L.        | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | Phila. | 1.000     |
| Clegg, St. L.            | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | St. L. | 1.000     |
| Gessler, Boston          | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | St. L. | 1.000     |
| Lord, Boston             | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | St. L. | 1.000     |
| Nichols, A. L.           | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | St. L. | 1.000     |
| Coe, N. Y.               | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | St. L. | 1.000     |
| McConnell, Bos.          | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | St. L. | 1.000     |
| Rosenthal, Detroit       | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | St. L. | 1.000     |
| Hartnell, St. L.         | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | St. L. | 1.000     |
| Quinn, Wash.             | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | St. L. | 1.000     |
| Street, Wash.            | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | St. L. | 1.000     |
| Ellerby, St. L.          | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | St. L. | 1.000     |
| Davis, Athletics         | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | St. L. | 1.000     |
| Porter, St. L.           | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | St. L. | 1.000     |
| Schaefer, Detroit        | 19 | 2  | 2  | 0  | 0   | 0   | .438 | St. L. | 1.000     |

## Sidelights on the Game

Certainly Cardinal fans are loyal. Notwithstanding weather conditions, fully 12,000 persons attended the opening game.

The Cardinals made four errors yesterday. The base lines were mucky and the outfield damp, which did not help the Cardinals' efforts. The Cubs, however, failed to make a miscue during the game.

Frank Chance says he has not heard from Kling relative to the latter's announced return early in May. Evers, however, has written he will join the club April 30.

Chance says he is not missing Kling, but he probably is. Moran, however, made a most acceptable backstop yesterday, and was on the job like a star.

Browne was unable to touch left-handed Salles and Kane was substituted at bat after Browne had had three tries to connect.

It was Jack Murray's home run which helped the Giants win a game yesterday that Brooklyn apparently had sewed up. Murray would look mighty good to Roger if he could be put into that outfield.

The war correspondents with the Cubs don't think much of the Cardinals. They argue that the club is weaker than last year and all it has gained is Roger. Well, well! That seems to be something from the way he is going just now.

Roger gave men on first little opportunity to take liberties with his pitcher. Roger all but picked off Frank Chance.

## LITTLE HAPPENINGS IN ALL SORTS OF SPORTS

The C. B. C. field day to be held on the college campus tomorrow afternoon is expected to draw out the largest squad of athletes that ever competed in the annual event. Willie Retican is favored to win the point trophy.

The St. Louis undergraduate baseball team won from the Blackburn University nine in a game played at Carlinville, Ill., yesterday afternoon. The undergraduates won because they bunched their hits.

The McKinley High School baseball team will play the St. Charles M. A. team will play the St. Charles M. A. St. Charles team is a strong one, the C. B. C. nine being the only one to lower the Cadets' colors up to date.

The C. B. C. baseball team was leading the Missouri School of Mines in the game on the grounds at Rolla, Mo., yesterday afternoon when rain put a stop to the contest. The score was 2 to 1 in favor of C. B. C. when the umpire called the contest. Brown was pitching for C. B. C. The college team returned home last night.

PHILADELPHIA, April 22.—Philadelphia Jack O'Brien, accompanied by Jack McDougal, left last night for Pittsburgh to sign articles to meet Jack Johnson in a six round bout in this city. Jack McDougal has all the articles with him, and the only thing now to clinch the match is for John's signature to appear at the bottom of the papers.

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## MOTURING

By Nelson T. Gutelius

Kardell Bros. have sold 40 Reo cars since Jan. 1. They expect to increase this number to 50 by May 1.

At the Memphis hill climb, April 21, the model 17 Buick defeated every car entered.

C. H. Gray, manager of the St. Louis branch of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co., has been busy the past week in superintending the shipments of tires for which he secured thousands of dollars' worth of orders while on his recent trip through Texas. He will leave Saturday night for Salt Lake City to look up business for his firm.

W. H. Ludwig, a large land dealer of Muskogee, Ok., and a stockholder in the Acme Automobile Co., was in the city Thursday, attending to business. He says that local dealers in his city have placed 75 new motor cars on the streets this spring.

W. W. Leathers, who is interested in the real estate business in St. Paul, Tex., is back into his old harness in the capacity of pushing sales of White steamers for the Colonial Automobile Co.

The Colonial Automobile Co. has just delivered E-M-F cars to the following: Charles E. Pauly, Venice, Ill., and T. L. Horn of the Horn Trunk Co.

After a car has been in continual use for some time, it is not a bad plan to thoroughly overhaul the cooling system, wash out the water tank and the jackets and thoroughly clean the pipes and coils by means of a hose. It is astonishing what a lot of dirt accumulates after a few months of steady use.

By a law just passed, New Jersey's sacred ground has been reduced a little in price for the use of automobiles. Anyone from the United States may now drive a motorcar over the roads of the State as many as eight times a year by taking out a \$1 license. Meanwhile the various states continue to let the foreigners from New Jersey drive their cars over their roads free of tax.

Among the contenders in the Fort George hill climb, the leading feature of the coming automobile carnival in New York, will be Gabriel, who for several years was a prominent figure in European road racing. He is best known by his victory in the famous Paris-Madrid race, which was stopped at Bordeaux because of the many accidents to the contestants. Gabriel, who for the past six months has been foreman of the automobile machine shop of J. M. Quinsby & Co. in Newark, N. J., will drive a six-cylinder, 75-horsepower Pennsylvania car in the Fort George hill climb.

The St. Louis A. C. team will play the Hermann team at Hermann, Mo., Sunday. The St. Louis A. C. desires out-of-town games. Address C. P. Dolan, 2546 North Grand avenue.

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Because of the fact that a lot of ash wood from which the new hull of Edwin Koenig's new speed boat, Independence II, was being built, was destroyed by fire, it will be some time before the new flyer can be completed. The wood was an especially light variety and will be hard to replace. The wood was expected to make the boat at least 150 pounds lighter than if the ordinary material were used. Koenig will have the new hull ready for the races, however, if he has to build it out of pine wood, for he has already scheduled several races at St. Charles (Mo.), Alton, Quincy (Ill.), Burlington (Io.) and other places.

## LANGFORD AND KETCHEL GET A \$10,000 OFFER

LOS ANGELES, April 22.—Manager McCarey of the Pacific Athletic Club last night wired Stanley Ketchel an offer of \$10,000 to meet Sam Langford before his club in 10 rounds tomorrow. If the offer is acceptable to the fighters, it will take place during the week of July 11, in connection with the festivities of Elks' week here.

## YOUNG CORBETT BACK IN FORM?

Former Champion Is Favored to Win Battle From Bert Keyes.

NEW YORK, April 22.—Unless there is court interference, Young Corbett and Bert Keyes will fight before the Fairmount Athletic Club tonight. They are scheduled to go 10 rounds. Corbett is a 5 to 4 favorite and he says he will win decisively. The manager of the club announced that there will be no police interference, as the club is protected by a permanent injunction and that the law governing membership will be strictly adhered to. This statement of confidence is made in spite of the action yesterday of Magistrate Butts, who summoned the boxers and club officers to court under the authority granted by the penal code which authorizes a magistrate to issue a warrant when he believes a misdemeanor is about to be committed. A decision by the Magistrate is expected today.

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Arthur Stoehr, of 444 Mississippi avenue, leader of the movement to honor Mrs. Cooper, told the Post-Dispatch that he has the assurance of members of the School Board that the petition will receive favorable consideration and in all probability the new school will be named for Mrs. Cooper. At present there is a portable school building on the site, called the Alabama Avenue School. Stoehr, who is a member of the Carondelet District School Patrons' Association, has worked several years to have a school named for Mrs. Cooper.

**Many Years a Teacher.**  
Mrs. Cooper died four years ago. She was born in Dublin, Ireland, in 1832. She became a St. Louis school teacher in 1852, in the old Lafayette School. Later she became principal of that school. She married George Cooper in 1858, and he died 10 years later. With the exception of her 10 years of married life, Mrs. Cooper was connected with the St. Louis public schools, much of the time in Carondelet, until 1880. She was principal of the Carroll School and later she became principal of the Meramec School, which position she filled 20 years.

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### \$100 FOR THE PRETTIEST HAND.

It does not really matter whether the hands of St. Louis women are larger than the hands of any other women in the country or not, for St. Louis women have the prettiest hands. That is what the glove salespeople tell us. In order that the world may see the beautiful hands of St. Louis women, the Post-Dispatch has decided to open a contest. We want to collect photographs of the loveliest hands and offer One Hundred and Fifty Dollars in prizes for them.

To the lady possessing the most beautiful hand in St. Louis the Post-Dispatch will pay (IN GOLD) \$100.00. To the lady whose hand is the SECOND choice of the Judges the Post-Dispatch will pay (IN GOLD) \$25.00. To the lady whose hand is the THIRD choice of the Judges the Post-Dispatch will pay (IN GOLD) \$15.00. To the lady whose hand is the FOURTH choice of the Judges the Post-Dispatch will pay (IN GOLD) \$10.00.

Send the best photograph of your hand that you can obtain to the HAND CONTEST EDITOR, POST-DISPATCH. Write your name and address on the back of the photograph.

The photographs will be submitted to a Board of Judges, which will include artists who are competent to pass upon the merits of the hands. The names of the judges will not be made public until the awards are made. The judges may require to see some of the hands when they have eliminated the less beautiful by examination of the photographs. If so, notices will be sent for a meeting at a suitable time and place.

The Post-Dispatch has arranged with the Muriello Studio to take photographs of contestants who receive orders from the Hand Contest Editor.

### GIRL'S GUILTY PLEA REJECTED

Judge Says Hulda Gehner Is Entitled to Preliminary Hearing.

Hulda Gehner's plea of guilty to a charge of stealing a \$300 diamond ring while she was employed as a domestic in Roger Hatch's home, 4620 Washington avenue, was not accepted by Judge Wilson A. Taylor in the Court of Criminal Correction Friday. She was entitled to a preliminary hearing. The judge said, and he had no power to sentence her for a felony, so he set the preliminary hearing for May 3. No one has offered to sign her bond.

A seakins jacket and a man's suit of clothes were stolen from the Hatch home while Miss Gehner was employed there, but she denies taking those articles. The police have been investigating her record. She was arrested Thursday night.

### Not Made That Way.

Small boy (applying for situation): What kind of a boy does yer want? Merchant: A nice quiet boy that doesn't use bad words, smoke cigarettes, whistle around the office, play tricks, or get into mischief. Small boy: Yer don't want no boy; yer want a girl. See?

## Women's Secrets

There is one man in the United States who has perhaps heard more women's secrets than any other man or woman in the country. These secrets are not secrets of guilt or shame, but the secrets of suffering, and they have been confided to Dr. R. V. Pierce in the hope and expectation of advice and help. That few of these women have been disappointed in their expectations is proved by the fact that ninety-eight per cent. of all women treated by Dr. Pierce have been absolutely and altogether cured. Such a record would be remarkable if the cases treated were numbered by hundreds only. But when that record applies to the treatment of more than half-a-million women, in a practice of over 40 years, it is phenomenal, and entitles Dr. Pierce to the gratitude accorded him by women, as the first of specialists in the treatment of women's diseases.

Every sick woman may consult Dr. Pierce by letter, absolutely without charge. All replies are mailed, sealed in perfectly plain envelopes, without any printing or advertising whatever, upon them. Write without fear or without fee, to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Dr. R. V. Pierce, Pres., Buffalo, N. Y.

**DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION**  
Makes Weak Women Strong.  
Sick Women Well



**America's Best Tailoring Talent Make Our Suits—Hand-Tailored**  
Our Suits are exclusive in pattern and style that make them much sought for. This Spring's clothing surpasses all previous stocks—it is larger and better assorted—new fabrics—new colors—new patterns. We are recognized as

**St. Louis' Foremost CREDIT Clothing Store**

Due to our superior value giving and absolute satisfaction.

**Our Men's Garments**  
Are strictly up to the minute; cut in the latest fashion. From

**\$15 to \$40 ON CREDIT**

**Extra Special!**  
500 pairs men's pants; regular \$2.00 value; for Saturday

**\$1.00 PAIR**

Open Saturday 10 P. M.

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**\$1.00 A WEEK PAYMENTS**

**Serviceable & Stylish BOYS' SUITS**

That will outwear the ordinary kind—100 different patterns; bloomer or straight pants.

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**St. Louis Clothing Co.**

E. B. HOLLAND, Manager.

**906 FRANKLIN AVENUE**

### WOMEN FLOCK TO HEAR THE TRIAL OF BEACH HARGIS

Jury in Patricide's Case Is Completed and Attorney Opens for the State.

JACKSON, Ky., April 22.—The completed jury that will try Beach Hargis for the murder of his father was sworn in this morning, after Judge Adams had overruled additional affidavits for a continuance filed by the defense.

Floyd and John Day, uncles of the defendant, appeared in court and requested bond for Hargis, and he was permitted to go at large during the trial.

The jury has four men from Estill County and eight from Madison county. Great crowds filled the courtroom to hear A. F. Bird make the opening statement for the Commonwealth, many women being present.

### RELATIVES PAID BOARD OF WOMAN DEAD IN HOSPITAL

Aged Mrs. Antoinette Disch Supported by Nieces for Several Years.

Mrs. Antoinette Disch, who died at the age of 93 at the Good Samaritan Hospital 10 days ago, was not a charity patient, as was reported, her relatives say. Mrs. L. Frisette of 1094 Mehard street, a grand-niece of Mrs. Disch, said to a Post-Dispatch reporter:

"I paid my aunt's board for a long time. My cousin, Mrs. A. Kotthoff of 4341 Finney avenue, did also. Another cousin, Mrs. Helen Lutjen of Jersey City, sent \$100 a little over a year ago, which was accepted by the hospital as full payment of all board during my aged aunt's life."

### BEAT HIS TAILOR

About \$10 in price by getting a 12.50 sample suit in the Globe's great sale tomorrow, 7th and Franklin av.

### PEACE IN ANTHRACITE REGIONS

President of Mine Workers Says Agreement Has Been Reached.

PHILADELPHIA, April 22.—Peace in the anthracite coal regions is absolutely assured for another three years at least, President Thomas L. Lewis of the United Mine Workers of America, who, with the three district presidents, has

been in conference with a subcommittee of the operators in this city during the last two days, makes a positive announcement that a new working agreement, the terms of which he would not divulge, would be signed before the middle of next week. This contract will be based upon a proposition which has been submitted by the operators, and which, in the opinion of Mr. Lewis and his colleagues, contains a number of important concessions.

### TAFTS SEE NEAR SALOME DANCE

WASHINGTON, April 22.—The President and Mrs. Taft attended the performance of "About Thebes," Mrs. Albert Clifford Barney's play for charity, at the Belasco Theater last night. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. George Ward.

### THE INDIAN MEDICINE MAN

Can produce roots and herbs for every ailment, and cure diseases that baffle our most skilled physicians, who have spent years in the study of drugs. From the roots and herbs of the field originated Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which for thirty years has proved more potent and efficacious in curing female ills than any combination of drugs known.

## Shall Your Foods be Drugged or Not?

Much has been said about Benzoate of Soda in foods. It is not a matter, however, of mere press or political discussion—it is a vital health question that concerns you and your family.

Experts here and abroad, including Dr. Wiley, who has stood for the health of the American people for 25 years, have said that Benzoate of Soda in foods has an injurious effect upon the digestive organs. Benzoate of Soda is not a food. It is a tasteless, odorless drug made from coal tar.

Although used in many well-known brands of foods, the greatest danger in this drug is that it permits the use of inferior raw materials, as well as slipshod, unsanitary methods. In short, it is safe to assume that its use indicates uncleanness or bad materials. It is never used to improve good materials. Does it mean anything to you that no manufacturer who uses Benzoate of Soda defends its use in his advertising?

*Products of the best manufacturers (of whom there are many) do not contain or need Benzoate of Soda, because they are made of approved materials in clean surroundings.*

*Heinz "57 Varieties"—Ketchup, Sweet Pickles, Preserves, etc., etc., are prepared without Benzoate of Soda or any other drug—yet they may be purchased any time, anywhere, with absolute confidence in their keeping quality. Money returned if you are not pleased.*

No person need accept a food containing Benzoate of Soda, for the law protects you by requiring its presence to be stated on the label. This statement is generally hidden in obscure type, an acknowledgment in itself of the maker's desire to conceal it. Read all type on labels; it is for you to choose whether food brought to your own table, or served to you on a public table, shall be drugged or not.

**H. J. HEINZ COMPANY.**

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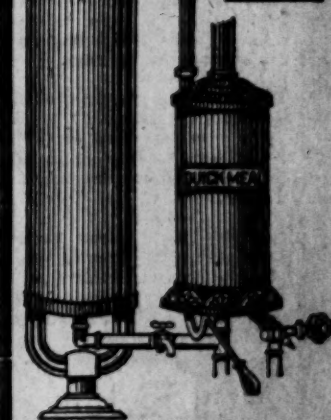
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Tickets at 900 Olive Street, Union Station and Tower Grove.

**THE SHORTEST LINE.**

### THE MODERN HOME SHOULD HAVE A "QUICK MEAL" GAS

### HOT WATER HEATER

WORTH MANY TIMES ITS COST.



Gives you all the hot water you need as you need it. No heat from the coal range leaves the kitchen cool and clean.

Light it when you want hot water for the kitchen or bathroom—in a few minutes you have all you can use.

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SIXTH, NEAR LOCUST.



## ST. LOUIS GIRL SCORES SUCCESS IN SPRING DANCE

Miss Alice Martin Appears as  
Wood Nymph or Dryad in  
Forest Scene.

GRACE IS DELIGHTFUL

She Proves Popular Feature of  
Miss Mary Frances Boyce's  
Recital.

Aesthetic St. Louisans are interested in the new dance, conceived, planned and executed by Miss Alice Martin, a teacher of dancing at the Beethoven Conservatory. It has been pronounced by many who have seen it as artistically superb. In the dance Miss Martin is garbed in green as a wood nymph or dryad. She wears flowers in her hair and about her costume, and dances to Mendelssohn's "Spring Song." The dance is intended to typify spring, with its gaiety and gladness.

Miss Martin's first public appearance in the spring dance was at the entertainment and recital given by Miss Mary Frances Boyce Monday evening. Miss Martin wore a soft costume of green, a skirt reaching to the knees and tight underneath. She was bedecked in red roses, while the stage was a bower of green branches.

**Dance Made a Hit.**  
The dance takes 10 minutes to complete, and Miss Martin was recalled six times by the delighted audience. She did not, however, complete the dance but once.

"The dance is even more complicated than Gertrude Hoffman's spring dance,"

## ST. LOUIS ARTISTE WHO CHARMS WITH A NEW SPRING SONG DANCE



MISS ALICE MARTIN.

said Miss Martin Thursday. "I purposely introduced more varied and elaborate movements into it."

At the entertainment Monday Miss Boyce appeared in a sketch entitled "A Stage Mother." Among the soloists were Mrs. Oliver T. Covington, Lawrence Doering and Walter Green. Noel Peppin acted as musical director.

## Gained Nineteen Pounds In Ten Weeks' Time

Rapid Development of Texas Boy Due to  
New Cooper Treatment.

Parents who have weak, puny, delicate children will be interested in the story of little Arthur Hartmann Jr. of Houston, Tex., which was recently brought to public notice. He is the son of A. R. Hartmann, a steam engineer, who formerly lived at 2019 Hutchins street, Houston, Tex., but has since removed outside the city limits and lives on one of the rural routes.

Regarding his little boy's illness and subsequent recovery, Mr. Hartmann says: "My baby boy was sick for two years. He had an attack of inflammation of the stomach and intestines, and later suffered from indigestion. I consulted several doctors, but they could prescribe nothing in the way of food that would agree with him, and although I spent hundreds of dollars for drugs, tonics, patent foods, etc., there seemed to be no hope of pulling him through."

"I was not a believer in advertised remedies, especially for children, but when so many doctors had failed to help him, I decided to try Cooper's

New Discovery, which had been highly recommended by responsible persons. I make no exaggeration when I say his condition changed for the better the very first day we gave him the Cooper medicine, and his rapid improvement was a delight to see.

"His bowels were thoroughly cleansed, his appetite increased, he gained strength, and soon began to play and show signs of life and health. We gave him the New Discovery about ten weeks, by which time he was entirely recovered. He is now 3 years old and weighs 40 pounds, or, in other words, he gained 19 pounds while taking the Cooper medicine.

"We feel deeply grateful for what Cooper's New Discovery has done for our little boy—in fact, I do not believe he would have been with us now were it not for this splendid medicine."

Cooper's New Discovery is now on sale by all druggists everywhere. It is a boon to stomach sufferers. A sample bottle sent free upon request by addressing The Cooper Medicine Co., Dayton, O.

## USEFUL HINTS TO HOUSE-KEEPERS.

**THE JAP-A-LAC "Model Floor"**  
Graining Process solves the problem of "What shall be done with old carpeted floors to make them attractive and sanitary?" A painter can do the work at little expense, or you can do it yourself, if you prefer.

**WEATHER BEATEN** front doors are revived and beautified when coated with Jap-a-lac, and "newness follows the brush." It is best to use the color nearest that of the old finish.

**WINDOW AND DOOR** screens should be coated with Jap-a-lac each Spring, using the Brilliant Black on the wire, and the Mahogany, Oak, Cherry or Walnut on the frame. It gives them new life and the wire cloth is protected from rust.

**PORCH FURNITURE** should be protected and beautified each Spring with Jap-a-lac. It is best to use the color of the old finish, but if you wish to change the color, use Red or Green Jap-a-lac.

**WICKER FURNITURE** coated with Mahogany, Ox-blood Red, Malachite Green or Gloss White Jap-a-lac, looks better than new.

**WATER PIPES**, furnace fronts, radiators, hot water tanks and iron fences are preserved and beautified by the use of Jap-a-lac. Use the Gold, Aluminum, Dead Black or Brilliant Black.

**A COAT of Natural Jap-a-lac** applied over old or new linoleum or oilcloth will double its life, by preserving the original coat of varnish, which would otherwise soon be washed or worn off.

**OLD AUTOMOBILES**, carriages, wagons, agricultural implements, etc., Jap-a-lac, with either Brilliant Black, Red, Green or Empire Blue, look 100% better, and are given new life. The cost is nominal, and the work can be done by an inexperienced person.

**JAP-A-LAC** is a household necessity, and can be used in a hundred and one ways, from "cellar to garret," and is especially adapted for finishing old or new floors and woodwork. Ask your paint dealer.

## Society

An engagement that comes as a surprise to a wide circle of friends is that of Miss Florence Kramer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil J. Kramer of Forest Park boulevard, and Mr. Frank Madison White. The announcement was made Friday at a 500 party given by Miss Mildred Kuperle at her Lindell boulevard home.

After the game of 500, refreshments were served. The guests were all close friends of the bride-elect. They included Misses Hilda Hayes, Ethel Hunkins, Bessie Alfrey, Viola Kreigel, Audrey Ashlock, Katherine Strauss, Grace Good, Beatrice Saunders, Gertrude Sanders, Charlotte Garvey, Dollie Davis, Irene Walker, Electa Daniels, Dorris McMullan, Maud O'Donnell, Olive Rice, Pearl Hyman, Ethel Chambers, Helen Bay, Alice Gatewood, Jewel Schwartz, Eleanor Davis; Mrs. Bernice Ballard Clark.

One of the prettiest church weddings of the week was that of Miss Anna E. McAdam, daughter of Mrs. Mary McAdam, 363 Kennerly avenue, and Mr. Samuel J. Dwyer, Wednesday morning, April 22, at St. Matthew's Church. The Rev. J. T. Shields officiated. The bride wore an empire gown of white messaline, over white silk. The tulle veil was held in place with lilies of the valley. She carried a shower bouquet of Killarney roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Katherine McAdam. Mr. William McAdam was best man. After the ceremony, breakfast was served to the relatives and intimate friends, after which the young couple departed for a trip through the West.

The marriage of Miss Annie Clement and Mr. David Krebs was solemnized Thursday evening at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. V. L. Clement, of Castleman avenue. The Rev. Dr. J. L. Roemer officiated. The bride wore a white satin duchesse with pearl and crystal embroidery. Lilies secured the bridal veil and formed the bouquet.

The bride entered on the arm of her uncle, Mr. J. M. Clement. Miss Ruby Clement was maid of honor. A reception followed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Krebs will be at home with Mrs. Clement after June 1.

Mrs. William Milne and Mrs. Blottinger gave a bridge party Tuesday at the Bartmer avenue Tuesday at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. V. L. Clement. The guests included Misses John Morse, S. S. Blottinger, Edward Ward, William Midlane, Albert Hausman, Charles Paul, Robert O'Neil, Henry Hutchins, George Swartz, Charles Urquhart, Harry Wyatt, Harry Purcell, Frank Breuer, Frank Bridwell, William Hitchcock, G. B. Arnold, Harry Swartz, De Martin, Wilde, Sanders, Johannings, J. L. Montgomery, Milne; Misses Allen, Simpson and Walton.

Dr. Caroline Skinner will leave about May for her tour around the world. Dr. Skinner goes via San Francisco and the Orient.

The engagement of Miss Gertrude Cecilia Brazill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew P. Brazill, to Mr. John Charles Tenor of Detroit, Mich., has recently been announced. The wedding will be in June.

An informal dance will be given at Prof. Clendennen's Hall, the evening of April 28, under the auspices of the Confraternity Memorial Society of St. Louis. Chairman of Arrangement Committee, Mrs. F. L. Bartlett.

Chaperones—Mrs. Geo. K. Warner, Mrs. Robert McCulloch, Mrs. W. L. Kline, Mrs. Frank Gallene, Mrs. J. U. Mentzer, Mrs. Celeste Plin, Mrs. M. A. Rutherford, Mrs. A. E. Pullis, Mrs. R. S. Bettis, Mrs. J. W. Williamson and Mrs. M. S. Bowman.

Tickets—Mrs. B. J. Hillard, chairman; Mrs. W. A. Johnson and Mrs. C. H. Pansing.

Finance—Mrs. Elizabeth Cooke, chairman; Mrs. O'Bannon and Mrs. B. J. Hillard.

Press—Mrs. C. H. Pansing, chairman; Mrs. W. W. Herron, Mrs. W. A. Johnson, Mrs. Meredith and Mrs. A. E. Pullis.

Introductory—Mrs. W. A. Johnson, Mrs. F. L. Bartlett, Mrs. Thomas L. Cannon and Mrs. Meredith.

Floor—Messrs. G. K. Warner, chairman; Robert McCulloch, Manton Davis, Thomas Cannon, C. H. Pansing, W. W. Herron, J. U. Mentzer, Meredith and Capt. Clendennen.

St. Louis friends have received cards announcing the marriage of Miss Anne McKinley Filley of St. Louis and Mr. John Stanley Ames of Boston. Miss Filley is the daughter of Mrs. Oliver B. Filley. The marriage took place Saturday, April 17, at Wingates, Sherborn, Mass.

## WASHING WINDOWS

Before windows are washed, remove the dust both outside and in with a dry, soft cloth. Clean the corners and grooves with a skewer, covered with a cloth. Have ready a pail of warm water made by dissolving a tablespoonful of Gold Dust washing powder in warm water. Dip a soft cloth in the water, squeeze almost dry and wipe the glass off. Polish with chamolite as it leaves no film and does the work with more ease. Do not wash windows when the sun is shining on them. Wash mirrors in the same way as windows. Then polish with a soft cloth charged with powdered whiting. Finish them with an old silk handkerchief. . . .

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But it doesn't make good clothes. The only sure way of getting the good kind is to trade at the store whose clothes you know to be good. We sell garments that are up to the minute in style and have none other than the best materials in them. To own our garments doesn't require an outlay of much cash.

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See the satin-lined worsted or Panama suits we are offering on credit for... **\$15.00**

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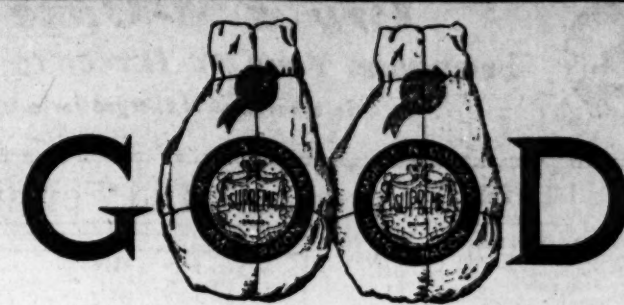
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BY painstaking care in blending the highest grade stains with varnish of the best quality we have achieved a product which for richness and purity of shade has never been equaled.

The shades are permanent—do not fade or become dingy, and they resemble exactly the natural wood.

There are other similar stains on the market which give fairly good results. You've perhaps used some—but just try our Varnish Stains—on your reception hall, for example, and you'll see at once how far superior they are to any like preparation you may have used—and ours cost no more, either.



## Supreme Among Good Hams

A slice of Supreme Ham on your plate is a promise of delight to your palate.

A promise always fulfilled—a tender, juicy morsel of exquisite flavor.

It is tender and juicy because of the young, barrow, corn-fed hog which furnished it.

Flavor so exquisite, because Sugar Cured in the most deliciously rich solution of filtered water, salt and best Granulated Sugar.

## SUPREME HAMS SUPREME BACON

They are both selected with the same care.

Equally savory of the Sugar Cure—so rich—so delicious.

Both are hung in porcelain lined smoke houses.

Fanned over Hickory logs—baked with Black Walnut sawdust—blending the sweet Hickory with the aromatic Walnut.

That's why the delightful flavor so exclusively Supreme—that's why the savory goodness.

No expense, no care is considered too great in producing these epicurean delicacies.

Look for the brand Supreme on every Ham and Bacon.

## Morris & Company

It's always safe to say Supreme

The "Taste for Owner-Ship"

Of Real Estate grows. If you own even one lot YOU ARE PROBABLY A "STUDENT" of Post-Dispatch real estate ads.

## The Sunday Post-Dispatch

Next Sunday, April 25, 1909

### By Sherlock Holmes Jr.

Master of the "gun language" exposes "the Piano Game" now being worked on farmers of the Southwest, together with "the Book Graft" and "the Old Master Fake," which impose upon many St. Louisans. Inside facts about these new frauds, which are "winning all kinds of money."

### A Pillar of Fire

Like unto that which guided the Israelites in the Wilderness is the extraordinary flaming signal now lighting up the heavens of the Southwest, and which Uncle Sam has been asked to extinguish.

### Advance of Arkansas

How the State, with 1,500,000, is cutting its way out of the woods, planting more cotton, enlarging its bank clearings and increasing its population every year, with resulting advance of real estate and steady gains in manufactures. Interesting revelations of a statistical study.

### From St. Louis

An obscure resident of this city who has become an international character, not by his own achievements, but through the work of his enemies. Supported by 2,000,000 people in the United States, and backed by famous citizens, he is soon to attract national attention.

### Astonishing Nebraska Experiments

A remarkable series of photographs, showing entirely new dogs, cats and horses developed near St. Louis through scientific interbreeding, producing animals claimed to be superior to anything seen before, including the biggest horse in the world.

### Near St. Louis

A romance of philanthropy and millions, showing how a court decision has diverted a beautiful heiress from a career of public charity to one of domestic happiness in private life.

### Alton Photographed at Last

The great picture of our sister city taken after many failures and discouragements, which shows it in its entirety at a single glance.

### Chicago Romance

How a beautiful society girl decided to test whether her fiancé was courageous and the surprising events that ensued.

### Southwestern War

The U. S. Government finally decides to exterminate peculiar creature that costs us millions of dollars per year, and devastates wide areas in Texas, Oklahoma and other neighboring states. A war to the death against a small animal that has now been started. How Uncle Sam will fight the invading army of 400,000,000.

### The Marathon Craze

Heroic feat of centuries ago and its modern revival with resulting dangers.

### About Fat Men

The Hotel Clerk has something to say about putting on avoirdupois and what it should mean to every man who gains in weight.

### A Western Beauty

Exact dimensions of heiress to millions who has excited admiration of European courts, and is declared by experts to be a living duplicate of the Venus de Milo.

## The Sunday Post-Dispatch

Next Sunday, April 25, 1909

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Tenth and Olive

OUR magnificent Hat stocks and our ability to undersell entitles us to the distinction of St. Louis' best Hat Store.

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AGENTS Wtd.—Sell the Singer darning;  
can be used on any lock-stitch sewing machine;  
darns hosiery, underwear, etc., quickly,  
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needed in every household; rapid  
seller; complete success; liberal commis-  
sions. Full information at Singer Store.

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AGENTS Wtd.—Wonderful new... (text cut off)

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**SALESMAN WANTED**  
**BLUE SALESMAN** Wtd.—First class, experienced man as St. Louis manager. Box N-108, Post-Dispatch.  
**SALESMEN Wtd.**—3 collecting salesmen for city. McArthur, 411 Olive st., room 410. (8c)  
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**SALESMEN Wtd.**—City and road; position will pay \$100 a month; bond and A! references required. 616 LaCade Bldg.  
**SALESMAN Wtd.**—Wall paper salesman. ADDY managers, wall paper department.

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**BUNDLE WRAPPERS**  
Wtd.—Fifty experienced  
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OK Wtd.—Two girls, one cook and one housegirl. Apply 1827 S. Compton. (5c)

OK Wtd.-German girl preferred. 6015  
Jemens av., or phone Forest 1183. (6)  
OK Wtd.-Good cook, to help with wash-  
ing and ironing. Call 3988 Landell bl.  
OK Wtd.-In boarding house; good pay;  
good cook. Call 1817 La Salle.  
OK Wtd.-Experienced white woman cook  
or Frederick street, Chicago. 1215 Olive.  
OK Wtd.-Girl to cook and do general  
housework; family of two. 3009 Pine st.  
OK Wtd.-Woman to cook and help with  
men in the yard, 4014 Wash.

OK Wtd.-Colored woman to cook and wash for bachelor; \$4 week; 8 afternoons off. Box N-72, Post-Dispatch. (5)

OK Wtd.-Meat and vegetable cook; also pantry girl. St. Luke's Hospital, Delmar and Belt. (5c)

OK Wtd.-For plain cooking, in small family; good wages. Call 3458 Hawthorne. (5)

OK Wtd.-Woman cook to travel with J. P. Gibbs' Ladies Baseball Club; call at Private car, First and Cornelia st. (5)

OK Wtd.-White cook and housemaid; good wages; no washing. 1236 N. King's ghwy. (6)

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 Wd.-For general housework; two  
 family; steam-heated apartment. 5506  
 1st av.  
 SING-ROOM GIRL Wtd.-Neat girl. 1525  
 Jefferson.  
 BROTHERS Wtd.-Experienced. So-  
 ciety of Applied Art. 807 N. Grand. (5)  
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Wid.-Or young woman, in restaur-  
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Wid.-To feed pony cylinder press.  
Y-32. Post-Dispatch. (dc)  
Wid.-At once, who can sew good at  
tailoring. 533 N. Vandewater av. (8)  
Wid.-Experienced girls to work on  
system coats; apply J. W. Lewis, fourth  
floor, 80 N. 4th.  
Wid.-Only to fold and enclose cards  
and mail, suit. A. Schaefer (12)

Wid.—A white girl, 14 to 16 years  
age, in a small family; can have a  
good home. **MISSA Hickory.**

Wid.—Experienced girl to work in  
a pantry. American Hotel, 7th and  
Main. **(C)**

Wid.—For general housework.  
Call at King's highway. **(C)**

**-SIT**, by boy, 18 years old, to work in private family. While Brimo, 2202 Chestnut St., Philadelphia.

**CHESTER-SIT**, by airload butcher; good butcher; city or country. 1226 State St., Philadelphia.

**SILVER-SIT wanted:** first-class in every respect; city reference. Callie, 5115 Washington Ave., Philadelphia.

**SILVER-SIT**, by man, butler and cook; references. write James Demas, 1101 E. 9th St., Philadelphia.

**CARPENTERS-2 nonunion carpenters want work;** new or repair; city; reasonable wages. Write J. H. Grace.

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**CARPENTER-Hill contracts for all kinds of work;** get me at home, 700 Forest Hill, Philadelphia.

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**AUFFER-Young colored man,** experienced as chauffeur, willing to accept small salary, reasonable pay. Call secretary at 1000 Locust St.

CRK-Slt. by young man as clerk with  
some real estate firm; can furnish best of  
refs.; will work for a moderate salary. (A)  
Mueller, 1857 Penn st. (5)

LECTOR-Slt. by sober, experienced  
man, aged 34, wants position as collector;  
best references given; can furnish horse  
and buggy. Box 2-79, Post-Dispatch. (7)















## DODGES ALIMONY BY RE-MARRYING DIVORCED WIFE

Mathias Kezele of Madison  
Convinced He Adopted Best  
Business Policy.

Mathias Kezele of Madison has found one solution of the alimony question. It is to marry the divorced wife. He is convinced that such a course is wise in a matter of business, the support of a wife being a better investment than the payment of alimony. Anyway, the knowledge that he has a home again is making Mathias fairly bubbly with joy.

By the terms of the decree obtained by Mrs. Annie Kezele from Judge Burroughs in the Circuit Court at Edwardsville, two weeks ago, Kezele was ordered to pay her \$100 in cash and give her a deed to an undivided half interest in real estate he owned at Madison.

The Kezeles were married in Austria, June 3, 1897. They have three children, Mary, 8; Tony, 5, and Mathias Jr., 2. The custody of the children was awarded to the mother.

Mrs. Kezele alleged that between March 27, 1908, and Jan. 18, 1909, when they separated, her husband dallied frequently with the cup that inebriates and also was cruel to her at home, slapping and kicking her on several occasions.

Meet in Lawyer's Office.

They met in a lawyer's office to adjust the alimony. Kezele decided that he would like to be married again and that he would try very hard to make his home happy. It was better to pay out money taking care of the home folks than to turn it loose, \$1000 at a clip, as alimony.

Mrs. Kezele had concluded that, perhaps, she had been a trifle hasty in applying for a divorce. Their eyes met. Each detected a fondness in the other's expression. Kezele popped the question right there before the lawyer and Mrs. Kezele said "Yes."

With the \$1000 alimony safely tucked in his pocket and Mrs. Kezele clinging to his arm, Kezele hunted up the marriage license office and Justice John Pette said the words that made alimony nothing but a merry jest around the Kezele hearth.

MEAS Cascade Whisky, Full Qt. 95c. Distillery Bottling, Cer's, 115 N. 6th.

ECONOMY SLOGAN WINS VICTORY

Mayor Elected on Fight to Keep Salary Down.

HOOPERSON, Ill., April 23.—Hamilton C. Finley, the newly-elected Mayor, is the first Democrat chosen for the office since the city was created, 38 years ago. In his campaign he vigorously opposed a proposition to raise the Mayor's salary, which has remained 50 cents a year since Hoopeson was incorporated. The aldermen receive 25 cents a year each.

**1/4 SALE**  
Our After-Easter Sale is now on. We still have a large assortment of Ladies' Tailored Suits which we offer **ON CREDIT**  
**1/4 Off of Marked Price**

**GOOD-WILL CREDIT CLOTHING CO**  
804 N. BROADWAY.



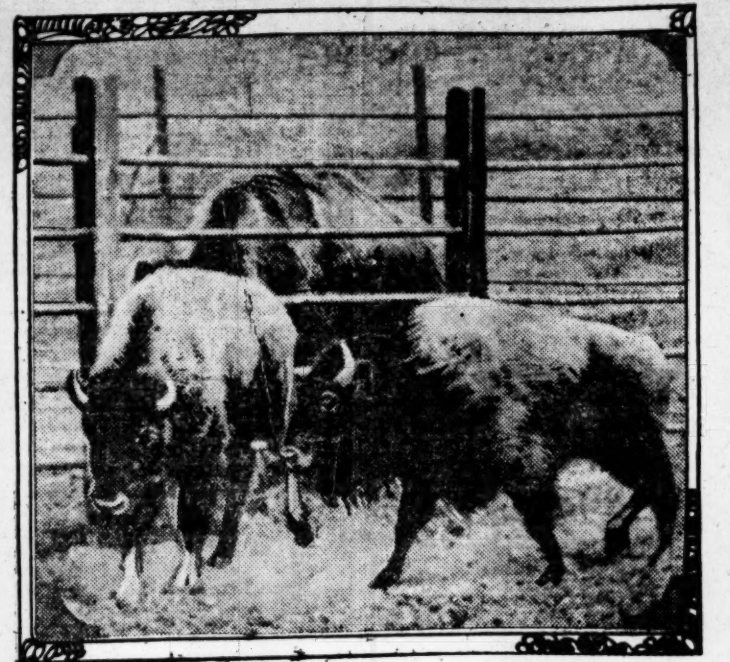
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## YOUNG BUFFALO WITHOUT NAMES JUST ARRIVED IN FOREST PARK



**WOMEN IN BUGGY  
GIVE CHASE TO A  
FLEEING NEGRO**

Fast Trotting Horse Aids Constable to Capture Fugitive.

Two St. Louis women engaged in the poetic pastime of picking April wild flowers beside the Florissant road, near Normandie, Thursday afternoon suddenly forsook that occupation to help a constable capture a negro who was running away with stolen goods. Their buggy horse, which trotted a mile in about three minutes, made the capture possible.

Constable John Mueller of Ferguson was bound to Clayton on a car. At Lucas lane, near Normandie, he saw two men chasing a negro on the St. Charles road. The constable learned that the men lived in a boxcar alongside the Wabash Railroad and that the negro was accused of stealing their clothing. He joined in the chase. The negro took to the woods and came out on the Florissant road.

The constable cut through the woods and emerged upon the Florissant road at another point, where Mrs. Burt Lang of 5591 Cabanne avenue, St. Louis, and her mother were picking flowers. They were on their way to visit Mrs. Mary Pifer at Normandie.

"Can your buggy horse go?" asked the breathless constable, exhibiting his star.

**Horse Overtakes Fugitive.**

"He is something of a trotter," replied Mrs. Lang, proudly.

"Then help me catch that negro, please."

The women and the constable got into the buggy. Mueller speared the horse, and a mile beyond the negro was run down. He was picked up in a box of matches which he had dropped. In one hand he held a revolver.

Mueller leaped from the buggy and "got the drop" on the fugitive just as the latter straightened up.

The prisoner gave the name of Robert Miller, 1301 Morgan street. He wore an overcoat, a coat and a pair of shoes which Robert Miller, one of the pursuers, says he stole from the boxcar domicile. Miller will appear Tuesday before Justice of the Peace Stobie at Wellston.

**The Shoe for Little Men and Little Women**

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## BABY DIED IN MOTHER'S ARMS

She Was Taking It to a Hospital  
When It Expired.

NEW YORK, April 23.—Mrs. Catherine

Caillaux rushed hysterically to St. Vincent's Hospital last night seeking medical aid for her 14-months-old son, whom she carried in her arms. When physicians took the child from her they found that it was dead.

The mother said that the baby boy had eaten a piece of chocolate candy given to him by a friend, whose name she withheld. The body was held and an autopsy will be performed.

"Dyer" Wins in Florida Senate.  
TALLAHASSEE, Fla., April 23.—The McMullin bill, providing for the submission of the question of State-wide prohibition, in a constitutional amendment, in 1911, passed the Senate on

Final reading yesterday by a vote of 24 to 7, amid scenes of wildest confusion.  
\$1.35 Guckenheimer Rye, Full Qt. 95c. Bottled in Bond. Cer's, 115 N. 6th.



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Clear Saving of \$5.00 to Buy  
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**"Art System"**  
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**Blue Serge Suits**  
For Men and Young Men

Save **\$3.50**

BEST values you've ever seen; hundreds of new Spring models in single and double-breasted 3-button styles; two and three-piece Suits; splendid quality serge; mohair or serge lined; hand-felled, snug-fitting collar and long lapels; hand-padded shoulders; with or without cuffs on sleeves; medium or full-peg trousers, with or without cuffs at bottom. Save **\$3.50** at our price of **\$11.50**

**Nobby New Suits**  
For Men and Young Men

Save **\$4.25**

NOTABLE examples of our ability to undersell. All the correct Spring models; striped and novelty patterns in favored shades of tan, grays, olives, smoke, etc., in fine chevrons, worsteds, unfinished worsteds and cassimeres; also blue serges. The Suit to fit your figure—tall or short, stout or thin or just regular. Save **\$4.25** at our price of **\$14.75**

**Great Sale of a Retiring Mfr.'s Stock Ends Tomorrow Night**

Handsome Spring Suits, worth up to **\$15.00**, on sale at **\$7.75**

A GRAND collection of hundreds of Men's and Young Men's Suits at half their actual values. Correct Spring styles; splendid quality worsteds, chevrons and cassimeres in popular grays, tans and brown; overlaid and shadow plaids, checks and neat stripes. Sizes became broken and we have added several hundred suits of even better grade from our own stock so that the assortment tomorrow will be complete.

Your choice of values up to \$15.00 at \$7.75.

**Unequaled Values in Boys' Suits at \$5.00**



THE large and complete line of Boys' Suits we show at \$5.00 is a fairly lower price, explains the great popularity of our Boys' Department with St. Louis mothers.

These Suits at \$5.00 are dressy, extra well-made and very serviceable; the material is a solid all-wool serge, cassimeres, chevrons, Scotch mixtures and fancy worsteds. In the newest Spring shades. The coats are cut extra long, have fancy cuffs and nobby button pockets; double-breasted 3-button style. Venetian lined. The pants are cut full bloomer style. Sizes 8 to 17 years. Best values in the city for \$5.00.

Confirmation Suits of fine all-wool blue serge; double-breasted Knickerbocker style; nobby and well-made; sizes 6 to 17 years; prices range upward from . . . **\$5.00**

**Boys' Wash Suits, \$1.95**

RUSSIAN and sailor styles; sailor or hand collar with fancy edge trimmings; belts also trimmed; solid white or brown duck or linen, solid blue or tan cambrics, fancy striped galateas and madras; all seams re-reinforced; sizes 2 1/2 to 10 years. Other Wash Suits, \$1, \$1.50, \$2.45 and \$2.95. (Third Floor.)

**Save on Hats**



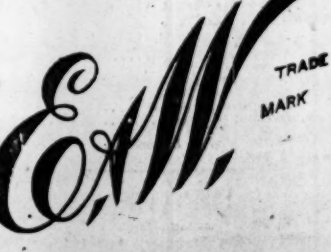
**Our Special at \$1.90**

THIS popular price line of Men's Hats will thoroughly please and satisfy you; they come in the season's newest styles and are made of fine selected materials and elegantly trimmed; see the new shades of green, gray, pearl, fawn, fibert and also black; sold with our guarantee to satisfy or the Hat replaced. Special values at . . . **\$1.90**

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